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Farmers work nights

Southeast Missouri farmers are taking advantage of the freezing weather to salvage crops stranded in the fields by heavy fall rains which had slowed harvesting to a near standstill until sub-freezing temperatures arrived. Workmen are shown making repairs on machinery at the John Wescoat farm between Catron and Lilbourn Tuesday night. Warming up at a fire are, from left, Jerry Cobb and Chester Richards while Wescoat and Willard Halderman adjust the header on a combine. Farmers have been working late into the night to salvage what is left of their crops. (Daily Standard Photos)

Hunt pleads guilty to all six charges

WASHINGTON (AP) — Watergate defendant E. Howard Hunt Jr., pleaded guilty today to all of the charges against him and said the prosecution's claim of a wide-scale political espionage operation ordered by top officials of President Nixon's re-election campaign was essentially correct.

U.S. District Court Judge John J. Sirica, who earlier had refused to accept a guilty plea to a reduced number of charges, accepted the second plea covering all six counts of conspiracy, burglary, bugging and wiretapping against Hunt in connection with last summer's break-in at the Democratic Party's national headquarters here.

In refusing to accept the first plea, Sirica said the government had a strong case on all six counts and that the interest of justice demanded that they all be prosecuted.

Sirica accepted the second plea after Hunt admitted guilty to all of the counts.

This leaves six men, including a former White House consultant and another man who held positions at the White House, the Treasury Department, and in the Nixon campaign, on trial in the Watergate case, which was a major issue in the 1972 presidential campaign.

Hunt, a former CIA agent, was also a former White House consultant for the Nixon administration.

Before the second guilty plea was accepted, Hunt said under questioning from the bench that the prosecution's opening statement outlining a broad operation of political espionage allegedly ordered by top members of President Nixon's reelection campaign was essentially correct.

After accepting the plea, Sirica immediately placed Hunt under $100,000 security bond and he was taken into custody by U.S. marshals while his attorneys tried to raise it.

After a recess the trial resumed without Hunt at the defense table, and testimony began with police photographer Coleman Alpert the first witness.

Sirica gave the jurors no explanation of Hunt's absence except to advise them that they were "no longer to be concerned with the case of the United States against E. Howard Hunt."

Earlier, Hunt had pleaded guilty to three of the six counts against him in the government's indictment, in an understanding with the prosecution that three other counts would be dropped.

However, Sirica refused to accept the first guilty plea, saying the interest of justice demanded that all six counts be pressed.

Flanked by his attorneys, Hunt stood stony-faced before the bench and answered, "Yes, your honor," or "No, your honor," to a series of questions aimed at determining whether the second plea was voluntary.

At the request of U.S Attorney Earl J. Silbert, Sirica added a question as to whether Hunt "accepts the essential accuracy of the facts" in Silbert's opening statement to the jury Wednesday.

"Yes, your honor," Hunt answered in barely audible tones.

Oliver trial Jan. 17

CHARLESTON-- A preliminary hearing for Christopher Oliver of Charleston, charged with first degree murder, was set for Jan. 17 this morning by Magistrate T.J. Brown Jr.

Oliver is accused of the shooting death of Wilbur F. Johnson of Tuckerman, Ark. on Jan. 6. Bond was set at $10,000.

A preliminary hearing scheduled for today for Rosemary Cooper of Wyatt, charged with assault with a dangerous and deadly weapon, was continued to Jan. 18. Miss Cooper is free on $1,500 bond.

Judge Brown set Jan. 17 at preliminary hearing date for Jerome Marshall of Charleston on two counts, exhibiting a dangerous and deadly weapon and resisting arrest.

Arthur F. Allen of Matthews was sentenced to six months in jail on a charge of driving under the influence of intoxicants and 10 days for having no driver's license. The sentences are to run concurrently.

A 30-day jail sentence was given Bruce Douglas Housman of Charleston on charges of driving while intoxicated and driving whle license were revoked. Costs in the case were certified to the county.

Bobby Joe Johnson of Charleston, charged with disturbing the peace, was ordered released from custody and placed on one-year probation on condition he obey the law and pay $30.50 court costs.

Three counts of felonious assault with a loaded shotgun against W. D. Jenkins were continued to Jan. 18. Jenkins, who is free on $2,000 bond, is accused of shooting at a car in which Lloyd Boshecher, David L. Owens and Vicki Tatum were sitting.

Other misdemeanor cases include Mack Walton Jr. of Sikeston, no Missouri PSC authority, $41; Relina Leon Hall of East Prairie, speeding, $36; Harry L. Burris of Cairo, Ill., driving while intoxicated, $124.50; Ricky Skelton of East Prairie, no

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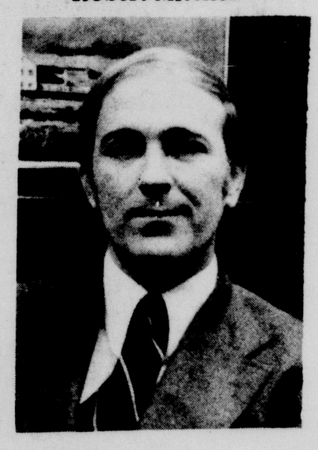
Jesse Lacefield

Galen Kruger

Robert Mitchell

Pat Lea

Don Agnew



Burt Rowe Jr.

SIDC elects board members

Seven new members were elected to the board of directors of Sikeston Industrial Development Corporation Wednesday night at the SIDC annual meeting at the City Administration building.

Elected were Jesse Lacefield of J. C. Penney Department Store; Joe Cravens, former mayor; Galen Kruger of National Lock Co.; Robert Mitchell of Mitchell Insurance; Pat Lea of First National Bank; Don Agnew of Security National Bank; and Burt Rowe Jr. of Farmers Mutual Insurance Co of Sikeston.

The board will meet in special session at the Ramada Inn at noon, Jan. 18, to elect new officers.

Boy, 14, saves 3

Miner fireman, 70, breaks jaws in fall

Harold Lewis, the 70-year- old retired fire chief and former Mayor of Miner, underwent surgery last night at Missouri Delta Community Hospital after breaking his jaws at the Gilliland Apartments fire on School Street.

Lewis and the Miner Fire Department responded to the fire at the request of Sikeston Fire Chief Larry Linnemeyer.

Lewis broke his jaws at the corner of Kendall and School streets when he grabbed the hand hold of the Miner fire truck as it pulled away and tried to jump on the back. He missed, fell, and was dragged about 50 feet along the street.

Lewis refused to leave the scene of the fire and stayed to help as long as the Miner unit was needed; about two hours.

He underwent four hours of surgery last night. A hospital spokesman said today that Lewis spent a peaceful night following the operation.

Firemen today are crediting a 14- year- old boy with warning the tenants in the building and saving two babies and a woman.

Chief Linnemeyer said Bill Stokes warned tenants, then pulled two babies out of the building and helped a woman out.

The American Red Cross has stepped in to aid the victims by providing food, clothing, and shelter.

Mrs. Glenda Brock of Charleston, has opened an office at the Scott County Welfare Office, 312 E. Center to assist the families in need.

She said the office is accepting donations, preferably money. Each person is helped individually, she said. Many need enough money to pay for a weeks rent at another apartment, she said.

Linnemeyer said the department received the fire call about 9 a.m. perhaps 30 minutes after the fire had broken out in the basement. Residents had tried to call the fire department three times and couldn't get through, the Chief said. They were apparently dialing the wrong number, for when the operator dialed the department, firemen answered immediately.

When firemen arrived the fire had already gotten into the walls of the first and second floor.

Firemen were speculating

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Schmieg is new Bell manager

David Schmieg of St. Louis has been named manager of South- western Bell Telephone Company's Sikeston division.

Schmieg replaces Mark Rudloff who has been promoted to the position of unit manager for the company's Kansas City downtown district.

The new manager is a graduate of Central Methodist College at Fayette with a degree in political science and economics. An honors graduate, he was president of Central Methodist's ODK honor society.

He also was active in the school's economics honor society, the Bega Sigma social fraternity and lettered in both baseball and basketball and was named to the NAIA all- star team in baseball.

Schmeig began his telephone career in 1971 in Kansas City as manager of the centralized mail remittance group. He also has held positions of manager of the Kansas City public office and unit manager before being promoted to the Sikeston manager's post.

The manager is a member of the Missouri National Guard and has received guard training at Fort Campbell, and Fort Sill, Okla.

The son of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Schmieg of St. Louis, he is married to the former Carolyn Cross of St. Louis.

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Pedestrian killed near Neelyville

NEELYVILLE-- A pedestrian, Denton Clifton Tanner, 41, of Corning, Ark., was killed sometime between 3 a.m. and 5:15 a.m. today when he was apparently struck by one or more vehicles one fourth mile north of the Arkansas state line on Highway 67.

Trooper Charles Sisk of the Missouri State Highway Patrol, who investigated, said more than one vehicle probably hit the body which was dismembered.

Butler County sheriff's department also investigated.

Donnie Mary Bush, 55, of Bragg City received a possible concussion in a two-car accident Wednesday at 12:10 p.m. one- half mile south of Highway 84 on Route NN when she attempted to pass a car driven by Lounette Hightower, 41, of Kennett, who was making a left turn into a private drive.

Mrs. Bush was taken to Presnell Hospital in Kennett.

Court may lower property taxes

BENTON — Scott County personal property taxes may be lowered for 1973, according to Eldon Ziegenhorn of Sikeston, second district associate judge who say the County Court is considering lowering the tax rate from 50 cents to 45 cents per $100 valuation.

Ziegenhorn said part of the $152,000 federal revenue-sharing money the county received will be added to the 1973 budget to permit the five-cent reduction.

Although an estimated budget will be submitted in February for approval, no definite decision will be made until July or August, Ziegenhorn stated.

The tax rate, now for $100 valuation is 35 cents for road tax, 10 cents for county health tax, two cents for Johnson grass tax, 10 cents for library tax and three cents for state tax.

Judge Ziegenhorn said the tax rate was 45 cents two years ago and a cutback should help the taxpayers. He also said Scott County is one of the few counties planning to revert to the 45-cent rate.

It's inside . . .

Citizens of Malden ask for a special election on city manager form of government. Turn to...page 9.

Two state- administered federal education programs in Missouri will be taken over by the federal government to see if public and non- public school students are treated equitably. Turn to...page 14.

Sixty communities in Missouri, Kansas, Iowa and Nebraska have been cut from their primary fuel and are runing low on alternate fuel. Turn to...page 3.

. . . and outside

Continued fair with gradually moderating temperatures tonight and Friday; low tonight 10 to 15 with westerly winds 6 to 12 mph. High Friday in the 30s.

EXTENDED FORECAST

Increasing cloudiness and not so cold Saturday with high in the upper 30s and low in the teens; chance of rain or snow Saturday night and Sunday; clearing and little temperature change Monday; low in the mid 20s and high in low 50s.

HIGH AND LOW

High and low temperatures for the 24-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today were 23 and 13 degrees.

Thursday, January 11
Sunset today ..... 5:01 p.m.
Sunrise tomorrow...7:12 a.m.
The moon, at First Quarter tonight, sets tomorrow at--- 12:29 a.m.

Elderly man dies in Gideon fire

GIDEON — Jess Coleman, 67, died in a fire at 3:12 p.m. Wednesday at his home behind Bill's Bar.

New Madrid County Coroney Gene Clayton said Coleman died of smoke inhalation and burns to his face, legs, feet and body.

Investigating officers said the fire apparently resulted from an overheated stove. The old frame structure where Coleman had lived alone for about three years was formerly used as a coal shed.

The building was engulfed in flames when firemen arrived, and they were further hampered getting into the building due to the door being barred on the inside. Officers said Coleman customarily kept the door barred.

The body, Clayton said, was found in a sitting position on a couch facing the stove. No inquest is scheduled.

Coleman, born Jan. 18, 1905, was not employed and reportedly has no survivors. Graveside rites were conducted at 2 p.m. today in Stanfield Cemetery with John McMillen officiating and Russell Mortuary in charge of arrangements.

New commodity distribution in Sikeston

Scott County commodity distribution has moved to the 100 block of Trotter street in Sikeston. Photo above shows the dome- shaped building where applicants may pick up only items they want. The self- service style has saved waste of unwanted items. The next distribution date is set for Feb. 5 in the new building. (Daily Standard Photo)

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Thursday, January 11 — 1622, Rembrandt draws a blank.

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POOR CHARLIE SAYS!

A man who says "we" occasionally is generally admired.

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UNITED NATIONS DISCRIMINATION

While the high and mighty in the United Nations hurl charges at others, mostly the United States, of alleged "discrimination" the U. S. itself has proven to be very discriminating in its own policies and programs. The U.N. does not hesitate to denounce Rhodesia, South Africa, Isreal, the U.S.A. or whoever happens to be on its black list for the day. Does the U.N. use the same standard for all nations?

Uganda's "President" Amin continues to rival Adolph Hitler for barbarity, which is not surprising in view of the fact that Amin has praised Hitler for his treatment of minorities. Not only is Amin forcing the Asian minority out of Uganda, but his troops are ruthlessly beating, kicking, threatening and robbing them as they exit. What has the U.N. done or said. Nothing.

"President" Bokassa of the Central African Republic enjoys helping his police beat thieves to death, with no trial. When U. N. Secretary General Kurt Waldheim expressed mild distaste for such actions, Bokassa promptly attacked him as a "colonialist and imperialist" and Waldheim beat a hasty retreat.

In Rwanda and Burundi, two more African States, warring tribesmen have slaughtered some 100,000 persons. In India, the leader of the Naga tribe has tried to complain, without success, that the New Deli government is methodically exterminating his people. The U.N. has yet to respond. Bangladesh soldiers continue to brutalize non-Bengali minorities.

Most of these small fry countries receive more aid from the U.N. than they pay in dues. While thousands perish and cry out in pain, the U.N. rambles on with pious denunciations of racism, imperialism, and a dozen other "isms" against civilized nations such as Rhodesia. The U.N. should drop its double standards, and take prompt and firm action against the small - fry, present day Hitlers. And if the U. N. does not take such action for the protection of human life, liberty and property, then the United States should refuse to be a party to such inaction, and withdraw support from the U.N. itself.

Someone has suggested that the United Nations be assigned the task of "supervising the peace" in South Vietnam. Surely they cannot be serious. The U.N. is proving itself to be expert at looking the other way. To give the U. N. this task would be an open invitation to the Communists to murder at will.

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Prof. Bob Miller wonders why it is that everything which has to be dug up seems to have been buried under the pavement.

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It is indeed a sad week for the Editor. Losing two personal friends in Past President Truman's death and Mrs. Stuart Symington's death. Both were very kind to the Editor, on many occasions and I extend extreme sympathy to Mrs. Truman and to Senator Symington.

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According to a Tax Foundation, Inc. study, payroll in 1970 for all government was $111 billion; $48 billion federal, $18 billion state and $45 billion local. The study also indicates that government had more people on its payrolls than the total of workers in all of the wholesale and retail trades, plus agriculture, forestry and fisheries.

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Command Decision. In Central Valley, Calif., when a fire alarm interrupted the crowning of the queen at the annual Firemen's Ball, Chief Earl Stevens dispatched all his men to quell the blaze, stayed on himself to complete the coronation.

Hal Boyle

NEW YORK (AP) — Things we could all do without:

Unpaid Christmas bills, leftover Christmas trees, late arriving Christmas cards.

Forecasts of further inflation.

New buses with narrower, midget-size seats.

Any more clever names for men's and women's rest rooms.

Human health foods that look like dog food and taste like bird seed.

Parties to which every guest brings a present for the hostess except you.

Tomcats howling for love on a frozen fence on the coldest, blackest night in January.

People who are still smugly sticking to the New Year's resolutions they made last week.

People who keep explaining ad tedium why they have already broken the New Year's resolutions they made only last week.

Any Neanderthal wit who gravely asks you, "Cold enough for you?"

Those annual pictures of fat, middle-age people in bathing suits taking a midwinter dip to show their hardihood.

The 24-hour virus that changes its mind and hangs on for three weeks.

Guys and dolls who break their legs in foolish skiing accidents over the weekend and who then crutch it around the office in casts while you do most of their work for them and they wear an air of someone who has done something heroic.

Utilities companies which are always surprised by a turn in the weather, so they are caught short of cool air in summer and caught short of warm air in winter.

Restaurant patrons who make a habit of sending their first Martini back because it isn't dry enough. Why don't they just ask for straight gin or vodka — and let it go at that?

Haughty young girls who say they don't want to marry unless they can marry a millionaire. Girls like that within 10 years usually end up wed to a divorced barfly they met in a saloon, and who is chronically broke from paying alimony to his first wife.

People who can afford expensive vacations down South this time of year while I'm still paying for the rainy week I spent last summer at the resort on Mosquito Lake, Maine.

Ladies who give you a big good night soul kiss at their front door, than say. "I'd invite you in, but I've got the flu real bad — and I wouldn't want you to catch it."

From these and other afflictions of mind and spirit, deliver us, Amen.

"May I Be the First to Kiss the Bride?"

TOMORROW
JANUARY 12 — FRIDAY

EDMUND BURKE'S BIRTHDAY. Jan 12. British orator, politician, and philosopher, born Dublin, Ireland, Jan. 12, 1729. Died Beaconsfield, England, July 9, 1797.

JACK LONDON'S BIRTHDAY. Jan. 12. American author, born, San Francisco, Calif., Jan. 12, 1821. Died, Nov. 22, 1916.

SAN FRANCISCO SPORTS & BOAT SHOW. Jan. 12-21. Cow Palace, San Francisco, Calif. Sponsor: San Francisco Sport and Boat Show Assn., Tom Rooney, Exec. Dir., 325 Pacific Ave., San Francisco, Calif.

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It was a heartbreak to us when we learned of the death of Mrs. Stuart Symington. We have met her many times, though we can't claim to be as close a friend as we are to her illustrious husband. Mrs. Symington was a beautiful woman, the daughter and relative of a great many nationally known Republican notables. She married a Democrat who had worked his way through college, inspired him to become a millionaire and a national figure. Our sympathy to Senator Symington in the loss of his wonderful wife.

Shilbina Democrat

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Our hard-nosed banker relative has supplied us with the following view on economics:

"There are pros and cons in the inflation picture. The upcoming labor contracts, the expected reduction in the wage and price program, and the expanding economy in general should all mitigate to push up the inflationary expectations and thus inflation.

"Here, then, in general is how we see 1973 shaping up from an economic viewpoint. It will be a year of continued economic growth. It will be a year when the Administration attempts to control inflation by putting a lid on government spending and reducing the swollen federal deficit.We expect that they will be in the main somewhat successful. However, their success would not be a permanent feature of the American government as it is now structured. We expect state and local governments to continue spending and we expect the Federal Reserve to concern itself with anti-inflation efforts as the economy reaches a very high plane. We believe that the quarter just passed plus the first two quarters of 1973 will witness the maximum rate of growth that will be seen in this expansionary cycle.

"We believe you will see the problems that come with approaching capacity production, the resurgence of demand-pull inflation, and the natural reduction of the rate of growth manifest in the second part of the year. We think you will then see the beginnings of doubt and uneasiness once again begin to reverberate in the economic statistics."

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DRAWBACKS TO PANIC ACTION

Everyone has read of the disasters that occur when a mob panics. Cries of alarm on a sinking ship or a crowded dance floor are invitations to tragedy. Something of a similar nature takes place in these days of instant communication when the country is flooded with news stories that start millions of people rushing for the nearest "exit". Something of this nature may be happening in the case of the chemical aid to agriculture known as pesticides.

Thanks to emotional reporting, the pressure is on to "ban pesticides" with little thought given to the possibly disastrous consequences. Some of those consequences have been touched upon in a short feature on pesticides in the house organ of a major drug company. The article draws attention to the fact that residents in areas of New York and Connecticut have experienced their second "Leafless summer". It says, "The region is returning to the 'balance of nature' that many anti- pesticide advocates have wanted, or so they think." Until 1968, the pests had been kept in control by spraying with DDT. An ineffective substitute has led to the leafless summers for this region. As the article goes on to point out, "The leafless trees in New York and Connecticut may be an indication of what the future would be like if pesticides were banned: insect- riddled crops, crop- choking weeds growing in abundance; rampant diseases, such as malaria and encephalitis; sky rocketing food prices; unsanitary living conditions and food storage; and city dwellers farming small plots in an attempt to raise their own food because farmers could not do the entire job."

The point of the article in the drug firm's house organ is that pesticides should be used properly-- not abandoned. And every effort is being made by the pesticide industry, the government and other interested parties to further public education on the safe application of the vital chemicals that play such a large part in keeping this nation healthy and well fed. These educational efforts should not be drowned out by panic-inspiring, anti- pesticide headlines.

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When a funeral procession passed a golf course where four men were preparing to tee off for their regular Saturday afternoon game, one of them turned toward the street, removed his cap and held it over his heart. "Why did you do that?" asked his partner.

"Well," replied the fellow, "I thought it was the least I could do for my wife."

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Betcha Didn't Know...

My Little Shirt Sharpener serves blended coffee today's and yesterday's.

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After carefully explaining the origin of the American flag to a citizenship class, the speaker asked: "What is it you see flying over the courthouse every day?"

"Pigeons," came a reply from the back of the room.

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The kindness we mean to show tomorrow cures no heartaches today.

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FIRST ON THE SCENE

THE OLD MAN was sitting on the porch of a little village store when a big shiny car drove up with two strangers.

"Hey, grandpa," one of them called out, "how long has this burg been dead?"

The old man looked over his spectacles before he replied, "Not long, I reckon. You're the first buzzards I've seen.

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Old- timer: "The old woman ain't talkin' to me, and I ain't about to interrupt her."

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"IT'S THE PRESENT THAT'S KILLING US"

United States railroads are living through an anomalous period without parallel in the annals of American industry. As one authority comments, they can look back on a glorious past and forward to a promising future. But, "It's the present that's killing us." The reason the railroads have a promising future is not hard to find. They are the answer to serious problems confronting the nation. These problems include pollution-- of which railroads do far less than other modes of transport; congestion-- which railroads can relieve better than highways; and growth-- which railroads alone can efficiently accommodate by moving the massive volumes of freight that an expanding economy and population will generate.

The anomaly is that even as prospects for the future of the railroad industry have never been so bright, the financial strength of the industry is being undermined by circumstances beyond its control. The facts and recommendations contained in the study of America's Sound Transportation Review Organization tell the story. Expanding government help for rail competitors, discriminatory taxes, rate regulation that has kept the profit margin thin and governmental policies that force the continuation of uneconomic services have brought the rails to a time when positive action must soon be taken if they are to survive and grow to meet expanding transport demand.

The ASTRO Report, as it is known, proposes sweeping changes in public transportation policies. Several bills pending in Congress deal with matters covered in the ASTRO Report. Meanwhile, the countdown for the railroads continues, and the question of whether they will be permitted to carry out the promise of the future remains largely in the lap of public opinion and the nation's lawmakers.

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Asked how she liked her new boss, a young secretary remarked: "Oh, he isn't so bad, only he's kind of bigoted."

"How do you mean?"

"Well," explained the girl, "He thinks words can only be spelled one way."

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TRAVEL DO'S AND DON'TS FOR YOUNG AMERICANS

Each year, thousands of young Americans travel abroad for study, work or kicks. For most, it's great. But for an increasing number of travelers, it's a "bust."

To help young Americans avoid the problems of foreign travel, the U.S. State Department has just published a pamphlet which offers some helpful suggestions on planning a successful trip abroad.

The pamphlet, on sale by the U.S. Government Printing Office for 20 cents, provides useful information on passports and visas, travel in Eastern Europe, vaccination requirements, charter flights, study and work programs, and the role U.S. embassies and consulates play in protecting the rights of U.S. citizens overseas.

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IT MIGHT BE SELF SERVING

We hope you aren't "one of these." This was sent to me the other day, and while one could probably comment that it's self serving, it is rather clever.

It source is unknown. It's called "WARNING to Non-Subscribers."

"A man who was too cheap to subscribe to his hometown newspaper sent his little boy to borrow his neightbor's copy. In his haste the boy ran over an $80 hive of bees and in 10 minutes he looked like a warty squash.

"His father ran to his assistance, and failing to notice the barbed wire fence, ran into that cutting a hole in his anatomy as well as ruining a pair of $10 trousers. The old cow took advantage of the gap in the fence and killed herself eating green corn.

"Hearing a racket, the wife ran out, upset a 4-gallon churn of cream into a basket of chicks, drowning the entire batch.

"In her haste she dropped a $135 set of false teeth, which the family dog buried thinking it was a new type of bone.

"The baby, having been left alone, crawled through the spilled cream and into the parlor, ruining a $250 carpet.

"During the excitement the oldest daughter ran away with the hired man, a stray dog broke up 11 setting hens, the calves got out and chewed the tails off four fine shirts on the clothes line, and the cat had a batch of kittens.

"All this just to save 10 cents. And in this case, the poor guy never did get to read that day's edition. — Clipped and Contributed

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In 1861, near the beginning of the Civil War, Julia Ward Howe stood one day watching the Army of the Potomac as the troops were hurrying from the North to the southern battlefields, singing the rough, popular song, "John Brown's Body." She was gripped with the desire to write some words for the magnificent swinging melody. All that night words and phrases were casting themselves in her mind. It is said that shortly before dawn she wrote the stanzas in the dark, and then fell into a sound sleep. Upon publication, the song spread through the land like fire. It is said that when Abraham Lincoln heard it for the first time, he broke into tears. The song was "Mine Eyes Have Seen the Glory."

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It's hard to view any man as a total failure when you realize he will shave two square miles of face in his lifetime.

H.L. Hunt

STOPPING SKYJACKERS

The growing number of airplane hihackings calls for stern action to protect the innocent. Unfortunately many governments of the world are unwilling to take necessary steps to stop these crimes.

The number of hijackings has been mounting rapidly. Charles Tuller, a U.S. government official wanted for bank robbery and murder, escaped to Cuba after hijacking a plane. Three conviced men took over a Southern Airways plane, held it for 28 hours, wounded the co-pilot, and extorted over a million dollars in ransom money before forcing the plane to Cuba. A gang of Arab terrorists threatened to kill all the passengers aboard a Lufthansa jet unless the Arabs who murdered the members of the Israeli Olympic team were released.

So far most countries have taken only ineffective measures to stop these crimes. Just as in far too many domestic criminal cases, the lawbreakers receive better treatment than the victims.

Carefully trained, armed guards could be stationed on airplanes to apprehend hijackers. Most passengers would be glad to have such a guard on board because it would help to ensure that they would reach their destination.

Airline employees, who must live with the threat of hijacking, are preparing for action to protect themselves and their passengers. The 50,000- member International Airline Pilots Association, representing pilots of 64 countries, may soon refuse to serve countries which fail to return skyjackers. Delegates representing 300,000 gound-crew workers from 23 countries have voted not to handle planes of countries granting hijackers asylum.

If governments would be as firm as these airline employees, the hijacking problem would soon be solved. HLH

Inside Labor

By Victor Riesel

WASHINGTON-- From workers' and peasants' leaders in South Vietnam comes an appeal in fervent tones to some of us and to the American government to stand by them, to assure they will not be slaughtered by North Vietnamese troops and secret police as were 100,000 anti-Communist teachers, unionists, intellectuals, journalists and democrats two decades ago when the late Ho Chi Minh cut loose.

These words echoing in the halls of memories in time sound much like the fervent pleas of similar labor parties and peasant organizations throughout Europe when the Nazis got off their rifle butts and panzer divisions murdered men, women, children, cities and nations alike.

Now those men, saved on many continents when America's troops and mass production wizardry smashed Hitler's panzers and Luftwaffe, are older, sleeker and more secure. They are, or have been, prime ministers. Universally they are Social Democrats pledged to the nationalization of industry-- generally men with a deep guilt complex because they haven't the courage to become militant Socialists or Communists.

Now, though I have carried confidential messages from their premiers' offices and national labor headquarters to American leaders urging America to stand up against Communist "aggression in Southeast Asia," they denounce America as "disgusting...maniacs...genocidal" and a mass torturer.

Each of us is privileged to our own grim analysis of America's bombing of North Vietnam. None of us are privileged to be one- sided and still fairly claim objectivity.

In the office of former Swedish Prime Minister Tage Erlander, he told me, as he prepared to retire, that his young successor Olof Palme would never give America a single day of political surcease.

Today, Prime Minister Olof Palme, whose nation depends considerably on American purchase of Swedish autos and shipping services, takes our dollars and denounces us as virtual Nazis. He has a problem. It is now fashionable among the young Swedish voters to be anti- American. The aggressive Swedish Communist Party is cutting into Palme's vote. There is an election due in September. Palme, the Social Democrat, whose national economy is very dependent on American purchases, campaigns by blaspheming us.

He is a Social Democrat. So is West Germany's Willy Brandt, whose life and party America saved. He calls the U.S. "disgusting." Yet we spend hundreds of millions annually to keep some 300,000 troops in the Federal Republic of Germany and a token force in West Berlin.

And there are the British Social Democrats. Their labor leaders have just sat with the Soviet chiefs in Moscow. Between Dec. 7 and Dec. 10, Vic Feather, leader of the British labor movement, conferred with Soviet labor chief A. Shelepin, who is a vicious anti- Semite, a former secret police chief and, in good part, the organizer of ghastly U.S.S.R. forced labor camps, wherein "live" Soviet intellectuals and dissenters-- much as in the Nazi concentration camps.

Now these Social Democrats, collaborating enthusiastically-- while we shield them from Soviet attack-- with Russian "labor leaders," are planning a European regional labor congress sometime this year.

For the moment we can skip further descriptions of social democratic vituperation against the U.S. There are two points to be made.

The record doesn't disclose any such name calling when Soviet infantry and artillery smashed women and children in Budapest, Hungary, in 1956; nor when the Polish Army and secret police slew men, women and children during the bread riots at Poznan and Gdansk nor when anti- Soviet Czech leaders were beaten by Moscovite storm troopers as SS men did with truncheons.

Remember Alexander Dubcek, the Czech leader, being bloodied by Soviet secret police when that nation was seized by the Russian armies without the slightest provocation in 1968.

As for the second point: it must be noticed that there is a fervent comradeship between today's European Social Democrats and Communist movements.

It must be understood that the Social Democrats draw their power from massive trade union bases-- Britain's Harold Wilson (who has just insulted the U.S. though in the past it has been a generous host to him and his posh tastes), Germany's Willy Brandt, and the Australian government. There, the labor movement is almost entirely militantly left-wing or Communist controlled, especially on the waterfront and in the building and construction trades.

Thus there is the beginning of a common ideological-economic anti- American front-- eager to use the bombings of North Vietnam against us in any fashion and to fashion a weapon against our labor output and industries as well. The Australians have been boycotting American ships. In retaliation, Ted Gleason's AFL— CIO Longshoremen report they have refused to handle Australian cargo in any freighter of any land. In midweek eight ships were idle in New York, Tampa, Charleston, S.C., Savannah, Boston and Baltimore.

And from South Vietnam, from the party of workers and peasants known as the Vietnam Cong Nong Party, led by Tran quoc Buu, president of the Vietnamese Confederation of Labor, comes a message:

Don't abandon them to the assassination squads of Hanoi. And "the workers and peasants of (south) Vietnam request the complete withdrawal of all the military forces of Communist North Vietnam from the territories of the Republic of South Vietnam...in order to implement a serious ceasefire."

In a few days Buu will be here personally. I know him as a man who has fought the French foreign legion; as a man who has been imprisoned by some of Saigon's previous regimes; as a man who loves his country. It is only fair that he too should be heard above the din of both bombings and the damnings.

Washington Merry-Go-Round

By Jack Anderson

JACK ANDERSON SAYS: Watergate defendants to President: 'We wont take rap for higher-ups'

WASHINGTON — Some of the defendants in the Watergate trial are sending quiet signals to the Nixon Administration that they may start talking before they'll go to prison.

Sources close to former White House advisers G. Gordon Liddy and E. Ward Hunt say both men have dropped hints, intended for White House ears, that they have some embarrassing revelations they could tell. They want to get across the message that they don't intend to take the rap for the higher-ups who directed the Republican espionage - sabotage operations.

Bernard Barker, who recruited the wiretap crew that broke into Democratic headquarters, has also let it be known that he is preparing to write a book about his experiences. Sources in touch with him have passed the word that the book could be highly embarrassing if he is left "to rot in jail" for carrying out orders.

One of Barker's boys, Frank Sturgis, has also sounded out publishers through an agent about doing a book after the trial.

Defense sources say that Henry Rothblatt, the high-powered attorney for four of the men caught at gunpoint inside Democratic headquarters, is also unhappy. He is quoted as complaining that the higher-ups haven't delivered all the money they promised for the defense.

One problem, say these sources, is that congressional investigators are subpoenaing the bank records of everyone involved in the Watergate caper. This makes it necessary for the secret benefactors to deal strictly in cash.

The $10,000 in greenbacks, found on the body of Hunt's wife after she died in a Chicago crash, was part of the secret defense fund, the sources acknowleged.

None of the defendants would make a statement for the record. Rothblatt has refused to discuss where the money for the defense is coming from.

Fun In The Sun

While ordinary narcotics agents risk their lives in shootouts with smugglers around the world, President Nixon's favorite drug fighters are having fun in the sun at San Clemente, Calif.

The lucky few are the bosses of the Drug Abuse Law Enforcement office, which the President set up personally to fight narcotics on the street level.

They flew down to San Clemente at considerable expense to the taxpayers to discuss the narcotics problem. But much of their time has been spent frolicking in yachts, fishing boats, bars and heated swimming pools.

A private note to the conferees and their wives not only describes the fun to be had but tells them how to dress for it. The dress code, which reads more like Emily Post than a decree to tough narcotics agents, advises delicately:

"For dinner with Attorney General Kleindienst, gentlemen will wish to wear their best business suits such as might be appropriate for an appearance in federal district court.

"For meetings on Western White House grounds, the appropriate dress will be suits, or sports jackets with ties. You will find use for golfing, tennis, swimming, fishing, boating and/or touring attire ...

"The ladies will be at liberty with their husbands on Tuesday and Wednesday afternoon. Swimming in the heated pool will be popular, rain or shine. It is expected that a short yacht voyage will be offered, in which event the skipper will appreciate the wearing of soft-soled shoes."

For evening affairs, according to the dress edict, "a silk or wool suit or a cocktail dress" would be appropriate for the wives. "At the concluding dinner on Wednesday evening, well-dressed ladies will appear in dresses or pants suits appropriate to the first-class yacht club locale."

From San Clemente, a spokesman said the Balboa Yacht Club dinner had been cancelled because most of the 60 conferees had left for home. As for frolicking in the sun, he insisted that their primary mission was to work.

Hanoi says it won't be forced

PARIS (AP) — North Vietnam warned today that it will never be intimidated by American bombing or other acts of force and will not accept American efforts to "impose unreasonable terms" in the peace talks.

As Henry A. Kissinger and Le Duc Tho met for the fourth straight day in their secret negotiations, Nguyen Minh Vy told the weekly meeting of the semipublic, four-party peace talks:

"The negotiations have now come to a decisive stage, it is either good progress toward signing an agreement, or continuation of the war. Obviously, this depends on the American side."

With American goodwill, peace could be rapidly restored, Vy continued. But if the United States "clings to the policy of force in an attempt to impose unreasonable terms . . . the Vietnam question cannot be settied and the war will be prolonged."

Meanwhile, Kissinger and Tho were joined for the first time in their current round of negotiations by the technical experts who have been working on details of various items that might be included in a cease- fire agreement.

The joint meeting of the top negotiators and the experts indicated that the negotiations between Kissinger and Tho were going beyond arguments over basic principles. But both sides maintained their news blackout, and there was no evidence of progress toward removing the main obstacles to agreement.

Kissinger and Tho were together for six hours and five minutes. All the principal negotiators smiled broadly as they left the house used as a negotiating site. The session was the longest of the four meetings they have held since resuming the talks after the American bombing of the North Vietnamese heartland was suspended.

At the four-party peace talks, the North Vietnamese delegate again demanded that the United States sign the agreement drafted by Kissinger and Tho in October.

Fuel shortage called serious

KANSAS CITY (AP) — Utilities in 60 Missouri, Kansas, Iowa and Nebraska communities have been cut off from their primary fuel and are running low on their alternate, posing a threat to electrical services in those areas.

The regional director of the Office of Emergency Preparedness, Francis X. Tobin, said Wednesday he was "quite concerned" that the continued cold weather could cause serious problems.

The primary fuel for the utilities — natural gas — has been curtailed by the gas companies because the utilities are interruptible gas customers. He said in times of shortage such as extremely cold weather, gas is cut off to "low priority" users and sent directly to priority users such as homes and apartment houses.

Tobin said the situation varied from "critically short" in Iowa to "short" in Missouri. Fuel oil reserves at the utilities are expected to last two weeks.

"We are not terming the situation critical, but we are quite concerned about what will happen if the winter continues as cold as it has been," Tobin said. "The big utilities in the big cities seem to be doing okay, but it is the 60 small ones, serving communities of 2,000 to 3,000 population we are worried about."

Tobin said some hospitals in Nebraska, Iowa and Missouri and school systems in Iowa are interruptible customers. He said one Missouri hospital was down to a 4-day supply of its number two source — fuel oil. And the 40-school Waterloo, Iowa, district has a 2-week reserve of fuel oil.

Wichita schools have been closed three days by a gas pressure failure brought on by the cold weather, but were scheduled to reopen today.

Tobin said Sabetha, Kan., a town with its own municipal utility, is down to its No. 2 oil reserves, has turned off street lights, asked merchants to turn off neon signs and urged residents to use as little electricity as possible.

A dozen federal buildings in Kansas, Missouri, Iowa and Nebraska have been ordered to reduce building temperatures to 65 degrees as of today.

Tobin said the shortage is also affecting trucks and municipal transportation systems in the region, with some truck lines having to ration diesel fuel.

Tobin said pipelines into the 4-state region are running near capacity but the OEP has learned that 72 per cent of the products carried last week were gasoline and jet fuel — not the badly needed No. 2 fuel oil and natural gas. He said refineries apparently consider it good business to move the gasoline and jet fuel because the price freeze froze those commodities at a higher price than the No. 2 fuel oil.

In southwest Missouri, two firms reported closings because of the shortages.

Hoffman-Taff Chemical Co. shut down operations Wednesday night at Springfield and Verona. A spokesman said about 100 employes were affected.

O'Sullivan Industries stopped production at Monett and furloughed 400 workers.

Some companies which continued operations today reported having reduced the heat in their plants, and workers wore sweaters, coats and other heavy clothes to keep warm.

NOTICE

February 15, 1973, is the revised deadline for the purchase of City of Morehouse Automobile, truck and motorcycle licenses. There will not be any further extension of time to purchase of said licenses.

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Nixon abolishes wage and price controls

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Nixon today abolished mandatory wage-price controls except for the food and health industries and established a self-administering system keyed to government economic standards.

The surprise move—far more sweeping than had been expected—came as Nixon asked Congress for a one year extension of his authority to control wages and prices.

The President abolished the Pay Board and the Price Commission but retained the Cost of Living Council to manage his Phase 3 economic system.

The new program, which immediately replaces the Phase 2 system established in November 1971, "is self-administering and based on voluntary compliance," the White House said.

No longer will large businesses and labor unions have to get prior government approval for wage or price hikes—except in "special problem areas" which Nixon listed as food processing and retailing, and the health industry.

The President also continued the present system of looser mandatory controls over construction wage increases and said the present voluntary effort to keep interest rates down would stay in effect.

But for those industries and unions freed today from mandatory controls, the government retains the right to move in with stiff action to roll back unreasonable increases.

Nixon said in a message to Congress that his goal is to reduce the inflation rate to 2.5 per cent or less by the end of 1973. He said his 90-day Phase 1 wage-price freeze and his Phase 2 mandatory controls had cut the inflation rate by nearly half—to about 3.5 per cent.

Pemiscot countians vote special school district

CARUTHERSVILLE — Pemiscot County voters decided Tuesday by a margin 720-327 to establish school district for vocational training and education and training of mentally and physically handicapped children. The proposal carried all wards in the larger cities of Caruthersville and Hayti.

Voters also elected six members to serve on the proposed vocational school district board.

Elected to three-year terms are James Cameron of North Pemiscot school district and C. A. Viveratte of Hayti school district. Named to two- year terms are John Holmes of South Pemiscot school district and Charles Faris of Delta C-7 school district. Marshall Thomas of the combined school districts of Cooter and McCarty and Mrs. James Betz will serve one- year terms.

The bill to set up the new district provides for a property tax not to exceed the annual rate of 25 cents per $100 assessed valuation. Any additional tax levy will be voted upon by the people at a later date.

For the building and equipment, an 80-20 per cent matching fund grant from the federal government through the Ozark Regional Planning Commission may be available. Additional funds can be secured through the State Department of Education on a 50-50 matching fund basis.

Transportation will be furnished by the special district.

Possible courses to be offered at the vocational training school include carpentry, plumbing, electronics, drafting, welding, electrical appliance repair, printing, nurses aid, graphic arts, secretarial practice and cosmetology.

Drug suspect placed on two years probation

BENTON— John Craig of Morley was placed on two years probation by Judge Lloyd Briggs in Magistrate Court Wednesday.

Criag was charged with possession of marijuana on Nov. 24. Judge Briggs also ordered Craig not to associate with Jim Mills or Ken Taylor.

Bond was reduced from $75,000 to $15,000 for Thomas Wesley Maddox of St. Louis and he was given one week to obtain an attorney. He is charged with stealing personal property and drugs from Amrhein Pharmacy on Dec. 20. 1972.

Troy Harlin Estes, Jr. of Scott City, charged with driving while operators licenses were revoked, was placed on probation for two years under the supervision of a parole and probation officer.

After pleading guilty to a charge of writing a bad check to Al Glastetter in the amount of $20 on Oct. 24, 1972, Donald Ponder was placed on probation on condition he pay costs and make restitution within 60 days.

Billy D. Williamson of Sikeston, charged with driving, while intoxicated, was fined $150, given 30 days in the county jail and placed on probation for one year. The jail sentence and $100 of the fine was set aside provided he doesn't have another vehicle offense for one year.

In other cases brought before the court:

Darnell W. Nelson of Benton, driving while licenses were revoked, was fined $16 and cost; Ralph Victor Prau of Cape Girardeau, speeding, $16 and cost; George Evans, of Sikeston, no operator's license, $5 and cost; John Ellis Fort of Benton, careless and imprudent driving, trial set for Jan. 17; Elbert Lee Williams of Sikeston, careless and imprudent driving, $10 and cost; Wallace Robert Knight of Poplar Bluff, driving while intoxicated and driving on the wrong side of the road, $250 and cost and Arthur Lee Keys of Oran expired chauffeur's license, $50 and cost.

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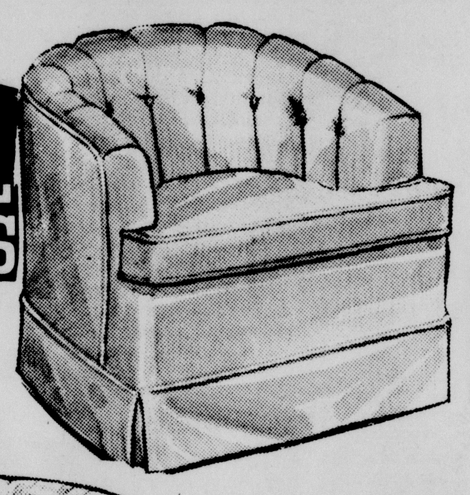

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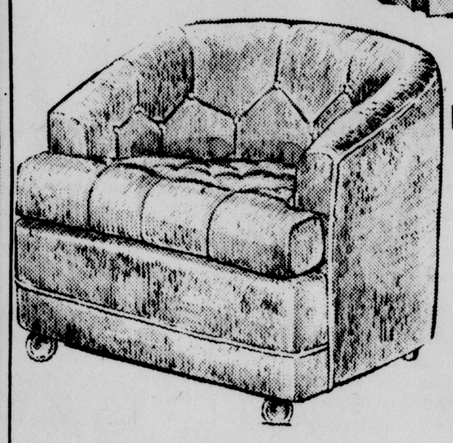

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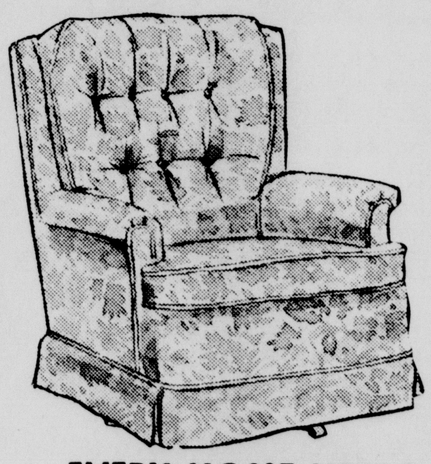

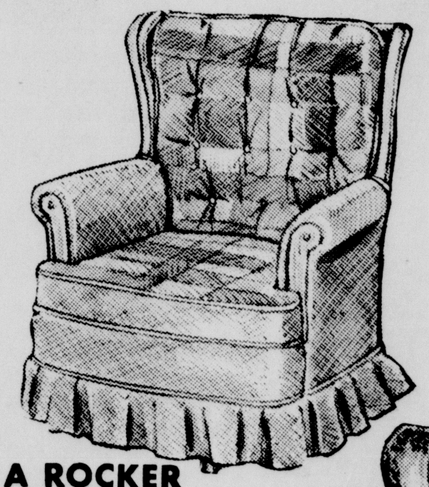

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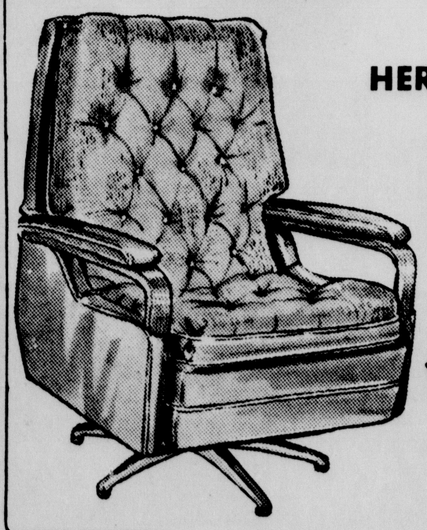

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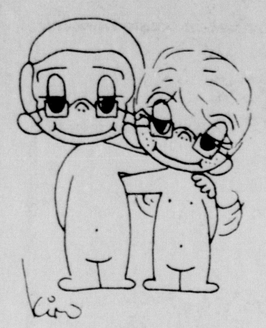

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Calendar of Events

TUESDAY

Morehouse Chapter No. 450, Order of the Eastern Star, will hold its regular stated meeting at 7:30 p.m. at the Masonic hall in Morehouse. District deputy grand matron Nadine Collins will make her official visit.

WEDNESDAY

Girl Scout leaders of Brownie, Junior - Cadette and Senior troops will meet together at First Christian Church at 9:30 a.m.

Ann Landers

People may look like pets, but don't say it aloud

Dear Ann Landers: Please tell me how to get out of this. The other evening my husband and I were with a group of friends of long standing. I have always been comfortable with these people and didn't feel that I needed to weight my words.

The conversation turned to Ann Landers' column. One of the women said she was amused at all the furor created by the cat- lovers and the cat-haters. Then someone mentioned pets and I made the comment that I was amazed at how frequently people resemble their pets.

One of the women said, "Are you suggesting that I look like a Pekinese?" I replied, good naturedly, "As a matter of fact, you do have a cute little pug nose, large, expressive brown eyes and sandy- colored, curly hair." The woman became insulted and I had to defend myself.

Did I say something that could be considered unflattering? I'll leave it to you.--- Loose Lip In Lubbock

Dear Lip: Funny you should have made that remark. I have often thought the same thing myself. Anyone who doubts that pets resemble their owners should stand on Michigan Avenue in Chicago and watch the dog- walkers. (P.S. I don't believe this is something they like to be told, however, so keep it to yourself.)

Dear Ann Landers: Please, please give that woman some help. I refer to the wife who felt guilty because she was "stealing" money from her husband's wallet after he had passed out cold in the bedroom. It seems she had to have money to put food on the table and shoes on her children's feet.

You suggested that she talk to him during his sober moments and tell him what she was doing-- and then continue to pick his pockets without feeling guilty.

It's obvious that you have never lived with an alcoholic. Sober moments, indeed. Like when? In the morning, perhaps, when he is so hung-over he can't see straight, much less think straight.

What you should have suggested was Al- Anon. If no Al- Anon Family Group program is available in that woman's vicinity she should contact the nearest A.A. office.

With nine million alcoholics in this country, there are an estimated 36 million people whose lives are directly affected by the alcoholic. I can't describe to you the improvement that Al- Anon has made in my life. My husband is still drinking, but I have learned how to live my life and not let an alcoholic live it for me. I now have a sense of direction and understanding that have made me a new woman. One day my husband will stop drinking, I am sure of it, but this is something he must do himself. I cannot do it for him. Until that day comes, I will continue to go to Al-Anon meetings, draw strength from others, and give them some of mine.--- From Philadelphia

Dear F.P.: I have been a strong (and early) supporter of Al- Anon, because I know they do a remarkable job. I have recommended it in this space dozens of times and I will continue to do so. Thank you for suggesting Al- Anon for the woman who wrote. Your answer was better than mine.

Confidential to Inferiority Complex: A thoroughly competent waiter makes his patrons feel comfortable, not inferior. If the service was as poor as you described you should have left no tip rather than a very small one.

Is alcoholism ruining your life? Know the danger signals and what to do. Read the booklet, "Alcoholism-- Hope and Help," by Ann Landers' Enclose 35c in coin with your request and a long, self-addressed envelope to this newspaper.

CG Club has new officers

The Candace Green Club has elected Helen Harris of the Morley Chapter as president for 1973 and Loretta B. Smith of the Charleston chapter as vice president.

The next meeting will be held Jan. 29 at 6:30 p.m. at the home of the new president.

Q—Where does tapioca come from?

A—The root of the bitter cassava, a tropical plant of the castor bean family.

Q—What two states have no counties?

A—Louisiana, which has parishes, and Alaska, which has boroughs.

Q—Who was awarded the first Pulitzer Prize for reporting?

A—Herbert Bayard Swope, New York World, 1917.

Mrs. William Morgan McClung

McClung-Wells

MESQUITE, Tex. — Miss Carolyn Kathleen Wells and William Morgan McClung were united in marriage in a double- ring ceremony on Dec. 29 at Buckner Chapel. The 10 a.m. ceremony was preformed by the Rev. Harold W. Maye, director of home life for Buckner Children Home.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen D. Wells of Benton, Mo., are parents of the bride, and Mrs. Grace McClung of Brownwood, Tex., is the mother of the groom. Mr. and Mrs. Jake Smith of Morley, Mo., and the late Mr. and Mrs. Owen D. Wells Sr. of Benton, Mo., are the bride's grandparents.

Popular musical selections were played by Velma Chism of Dallas instead of the traditional wedding marches.

The bride was presented in marriages by her father. She wore a gown made and designed by her mother. The dress was made of candlelight satin, and the long sleeves and empire bodice were covered with candlelight lace. The full-length gown was softly gathered at the waist. Her waist-length veil of matching lace was caught up with a headpiece of satin. She carried a bouquet of yellow roses, baby's breath and white carnations with yellow streamers.

The bride choose her sisters, Miss Marilyn Jean Wells as maid of honor and Miss Sherilyn Diana Wells as bridesmaid.

The maid of honor wore a dark green satin dress, and the bridesmaid wore a dress of light green satin. The gowns were fashioned after those of the bride and were floor-length and long sleeved. The girls also wore matching, green velvet weskits. The maid of honor carried a single, long-stemmed, yellow rose. The bridesmaid carried a single rose and three additional roses presented to the bride's mother and grandmother and the groom's mother as the couple left the altar.

Terre Lynn Joyner, niece of the groom, was flower girl. She wore a green dress and carried a basket of yellow roses. Miss Joyner is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Bangs.

Fred Davis Spencer II of Brownwood was best man. Owen D. Wells III of Benton, brother of the bride, and Garry Joyner, nephew of the groom, were ushers.

A reception followed the ceremony in the Welcome House of Buckner Children Home. A three-tiered wedding cake centered a table overlaid with a yellow tablecloth and lace. Fredia Henderson and Carolyn Dooley of Dallas were servers. Emily Marez of Dallas was at the guest book.

Mrs. McClung is a graduate of Kelly High School at Benton, Mineral Area Junior College Flat River, Mo., and attended Southeast Missouri State University at Cape Girardeau, Mo. She is presently employed at First National Bank as a National Cash Register operator.

McClung is a graduate of Brownwood High School and attends school at United Electronics in Dallas. He is employed by Barker Guard Service at Buckner Children Home.

The couple lives at 2719 Throughmorton, Apt. 123, Dallas.

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BIRTHS

BROWN — Mr. and Mrs. Raymond R. Brown of Dexter, are parents of a daughter born Friday at 7:10 p.m. at the Southeast Missouri Hospital in Cape Girardeau. The girl has been named Yvonne Ellen and weighed seven pounds nine and one-half ounces at birth. She is the second child, first daughter.

Mrs. Brown is the former Georgia Williamson. Brown is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Otha Brown of Dexter and is employed by Rowe Truck at Poplar Bluff.

SCULL — Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Scull of Benton are parents of a daughter born Friday at 6:25 a.m. at Southeast Missouri Hospital in Cape Girardeau. The baby weighed six pounds 12 3/4 ounces and has been named Jeannie Rebecca. She is the third child, second daughter.

Mrs. Scull is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Wolf of Wayne, Mich. Scull is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Scull of Aurora, Ill.

Hospital Notes

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Med.-Surg.	114	101	6	7
Pediatrics	29	16	0	13
Obstetrics	14	8	0	6
Intensive Care	7	7	0	0

Patients scheduled for admission today: 0

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Geraldine Owens, East Prairie
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Jessie Williams, Charleston
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Ira L. Taylor, Sikeston
Total patients discharged 24
Total patients admitted 16
Births 2

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Accident patients 10
Medical patients 25
Others 11
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PEMISCOT MEMORIAL: Admitted:
Clarance Woodard, Caruthersville
Nina Rhoda, Caruthersville
Debbie Ghyers, Caruthersville
Bertha Robertson, Caruthersville
Ruth Powell, Caruthersville
Myrtle Bridges, Caruthersville
Evelina Anderson, Caruthersville
Jenny Warren, Caruthersville
James R. Hatley, Hayti
Thomas Davis, Hayti
Dessie Franks, Hayti
Wanda Holland, Hayti
Paula Anderson, Lilbourn
Wanda Keown, Wardell
Gregory Turner, Wardell
Margaret Harden, Wardell
Gloria Mitchell, Portageville
Rose Marie Nelson, Bragg City
Released:
Thelma Bradley, Caruthersville
Sarah Sandusky, Caruthersville
Gene Tarpley, Caruthersville
Rose Fisher, Caruthersville
Estellar Walker, Hayti
Waudine Soliz, Hayti
Robert Hurley, Hayti
Ola Williams, Hayti
Marie Jackson, Hayti
Carol Brown, Steele
J. R. Kinningham, Steele
DEXTER MEMORIAL: Admitted:
Regina Byrd, Bloomfield
Released:
Patsy McCoy, Dexter
D. W. Blakeney, Dexter
Ollie Dueley, Bloomfield
Eldon Stroup, Bloomfield
Berta Lincoln, Dexter

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Alcorns celebrate 61st anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Alcorn of Sikeston celebrated their 61st wedding anniversary with a noon luncheon in the Ramada Inn west room on Sunday, Dec. 31. They were married in Dexter on Dec. 31, 1911.

All seven of their children attended the luncheon.

Present were:

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Kindred and son Alan of Kennett; Mr. and Mrs. Paul Taylor and son Brian of Cape Girardeau; Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Alcorn and son Denny of Morley; Mr. and Mrs. Delmar Alcorn and Mr. and Mrs. Delmar Alcorn Jr. and son Kyle of Bertrand.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester McDonald and daughter Tammy, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Chaney and son Van, Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Alcorn, Dale Alcorn, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Alcorn and children David and Karen, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Miles and Mr. and Mrs. Mike McDonald and son Darin of Sikeston.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Michael Jr. and daughters Robin and Stephanie of Florida; Debbie Mouser, Margie Watson, Kim Shelton, Mike Parris, Jim Cumbee and Gary Simmons of Poplar Bluff; and Sharon Hamilton of Fredericktown.

The Lordsmen Quartet of Poplar Bluff entertained.

December marriages recorded

BLOOMFIELD — Nineteen marriages were recorded in the office of Stoddard County Recorder Ethel Crites for the month of December.

John Paul Dees, 51, of Jackson and Otha Ree Christopher, 46, of Cape Girardeau were married on Dec. 8 by the Rev. Don Gaines at Arbor.

Tommy Lee Pullum, 20, of Essex and Rebecca Jean Williamson, 17, of Dexter were married on Dec. 8 by the Rev. Doyle Corlew at Essex.

Tommie Joe Bates, Jr., 18, and Audrey Jeanice Hyten, 16, both of Puxico, were married on Dec. 9 by the Rev. Jerry E. Park at Puxico.

Frankie Lee Hale, 23, of Puxico and Shellia Diane Bailey, 23, of Sturdivant were married on Dec. 14 by the Rev. Homer Campbell at Zalma.

Danny Ray Gregg, 18, of Dexter and Debra Jean Tabor, 18, of Malden were married on Dec. 15 by the Rev. Johnny Godair at Malden.

Harold Gene Baldwin, 32, of Catron and Patricia Ann Gilbow, 32, of Dexter were married on Dec. 15 by the Rev. Wayne Curry at Dexter.

James E. Jones, 39, and Barbara A. Harrington, 35, both of Dexter, were married on Dec. 17 by the Rev. Marshall Dark at Dexter.

Terry Lee Berry, 19, and Donna Sue Kennard, 19, both of Bloomfield, were married on Dec. 22 by the Rev. John H. Walker at Bloomfield.

Elvin Edward Graham, 40, and Katherine Elaine Walker, 26, both of New Madrid, were married on Dec. 22 at Dexter by the Rev. Marshall E. Dark.

Norman Harold Cate Jr., 18, of Bloomfield and Tamara Lee Lashley, 18, of Dexter were married on Dec. 22 by the Rev. Marshall Dark at Dexter.

Jack Allen Dyrek, 30, of Sikeston and Andrea Lyn Smith, 21, of Dexter, were married on Dec. 22 by the Rev. Marion Gipson at Dexter.

John Stephen Lind, 18, and Nancy Carol Owens, 18, both of Dexter, were married on Dec. 22 by the Rev. Jere L. Hargrove at Dexter.

James Edward Hughes, 19, and Susan Diane Gunn, 20, both of Dexter, were married on Dec. 23 at Dexter by the Rev. Glen Segraves.

Robert Wayne Denton, 23, of Bloomfield and Barbara Ann Lee, 17, of Dexter were married on Dec. 21 by the Rev. Delvis B. Roberts at Dexter.

Stanley Eugene Medline, 20, and Debra Joy Tracer, 20, both of Dexter, were married on Dec. 23 by the Rev. W. R. Elledge at Dexter.

Robert E. Tate, 76, and Dorothy Elizabeth Ripley, 56, both of Sikeston, were married on Dec. 23 by the Rev. Sylvester Johnson at Dexter.

Leroy Jarred, 40, of Steele and Joann Rebecca McDonald, 36, of Dexter were married on Dec. 23 by the Rev. L. W. Gamble at Hornersville.

Michael Anthony Ellebracht, 18, of Puxico and Deborah Dianne Ladd, 18, of Sturdivant were married on Dec. 24 at Puxico by the Rev. Frank Heitman.

William David Rice Jr., 31, and Jeanette Wilcox, 19, both of Bernie, were married on Dec. 26 by the Rev. Elva Peck at Bernie.

Freeman-Cravens

DEXTER — Miss Terry Lynn Cravens and Mark Elliot Freeman were united in marriage on Saturday, Dec. 1, in a double- ring ceremony performed by the Rev. Marshall Dark at First Baptist Church.

Parents of the bride are Mr. and Mrs. Chester G. Cravens. Mr. and Mrs. William P. Freeman are the groom's parents.

Brass candelabra, white candles, pine, red velvet ribbons, columns of white snowdrift pompons, red poinsettias and a brass kneeler decorated the church.

Mrs. Francis Montgomery, organist, played traditional wedding marches and "Ave Maria", "Musettas Waltz", theme from Romeo and Juliet, "Wedding Song" and "Clair DeLune".

Given in marriage by her father, Miss Cravens wore a white, velvet, floor- length gown designed and made by her mother. Her silk illusion veil was held in place by a lace cap. She carried a nosegay of white snowdrift pompons, red carnations and Bonsi ferns tied with red velvet ribbons.

Miss Janna Cravens, the bride's sister, was maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Beverly Smyth, Patty Acord and Sandra Freeman.

They wore red velvet and white satin gowns and carried white snowdrift pompons, holly and tiny red velvet bows. Candlelighters were Melody Walker and Kimberly Walker. Their dresses featured white satin bodices and floor- length, red, crushed- velvet skirts.

David Freeman, the groom's brother, was best man. Groomsmen were Gary Cravens, the bride's brother; Mike Ketterling; and Bob Raleigh. Ushers were Clayton Ferguson, Tom Cropcho, David Wagner and Ray Blair.

A reception was held at the church after the wedding. Sandy Lancaster, Sherry Abernathy, Vicki Smyth, Norma Walker and Linda Bowman served the guests.

A champagne buffet was held at the home of the groom's parents after the church reception.

Mrs. Cravens wore a floor-length, dacron, knit dress of navy, white and orange and a white orchid corsage. Mrs. Freeman wore a pink, dacron crepe, floor- length dress accented with silver braid and a white orchid corsage.

A rehearsal dinner was held Dec. 29 at the home of the groom's parents.

The new Mrs. Freeman is a senior at Southeast Missouri State University at Cape Girardeau. She is a graduate of Dexter High School.

Freeman is a sophomore at the university.

BIRTHS

RILEY — Mr. and Mrs. Richard R. Riley of Benton Route One are parents of a son born Jan. 4 at 1:29 p.m. in Missouri Delta Community Hospital in Sikeston. The baby weighed 10 pounds six and one-half ounces and has been named Richard Ross Rilley II. He is the fourth child, first son.

Mrs. Riley is the former Carol Jane Hodges, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James E. Hodges of Sikeston. Riley is the son of Mrs. Annie Riley of Blodgett and the late Rolly Riley. Riley operates the Sunoco service Station in Sikeston and farms.

NANCE — Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Nance of Galesburg, Ill., are parents of a son born Jan. 8 at 6:11 a.m. He is the second child, first son, weighed eight pounds 12 ounces and has been named Joel William.

Mrs. Nance is the former Berta Lathum, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Lathum of Matthews. Nance is the son of Mrs. Mary Nance and the late W. F. Nance of Sikeston. He is employed by Chevron Chemical Company.

CARR — Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Carr Jr. of Charleston are parents of their first child, a daughter, born Sunday at 8:25 p.m. at Missouri Delta Community Hospital in Sikeston. She weighed seven pounds and has been named Julie Elizabeth.

Mrs. Carr is the former Patricia Ruth Hart, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas H. Hart of Charleston, and Carr is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Carr Sr. of Charleston Route Two. He is a pilot for Charleston Aviation Inc. and a farmer.

Q—Where are the European headquarters of the United Nations?

A—Geneva, Switzerland.

Q—What freshwater lake is the world's longest?

A—Lake Tanganyika in Africa. It covers 12,700 square miles.

Reorganization bill available at libraries

JEFFERSON CITY — Charles O'Halloran, state librarian, announced today that the State Library has received a draft copy of the bill to reorganize the executive branch of Missouri's government from Sen. William J. Cason's office and will make desired sections of it available to all interested citizens through the public library network.

The 542- page reorganization bill was prefiled on Dec. 27 in the Missouri Senate by Cason and resulted from a constitutional amendment passed by the voters on Aug. 8, 1972, authorizing the state government to reorganize itself.

Citizens interested in sections of the bill can request their local public libraries to call over the "hotline" telephones or write to the State Library, 308 East High St., Jefferson City, Mo. 65101, for photocopies.

The State Library last year installed a "hotline" telephone whereby local public libraries can call collect to the State Library reference department for rush requests or to receive the latest available information on the status of House and Senate bills.

O'Halloran indicated that the library would not be able to provide copies of the entire bill due to its length, but that an index provided by Cason will be mailed to all public libraries within the next few days to assist patrons and local librarians in determining which sections they might wish to see.

College News

NEW MADRID — Ronnie Andrews, son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Andrews, is on the dean's list for the fall semester at Southeast Missouri State University at Cape Girardeau. He compiled a grade point average of 3.714 for the fall semester and has a cumulative 3.578 for 45 hours of study.

Andrews, who is majoring in computer science, will receive an associate of arts degree in applied computer science, business option, this summer. He is married to the former Paula Tollison.

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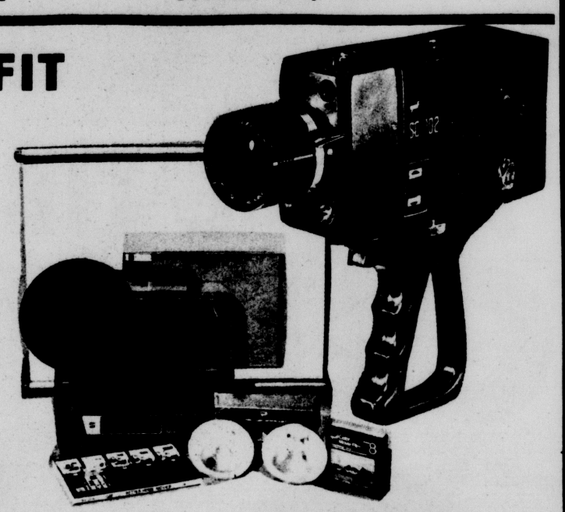

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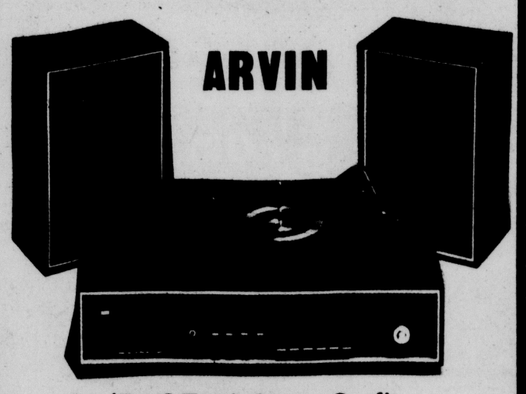

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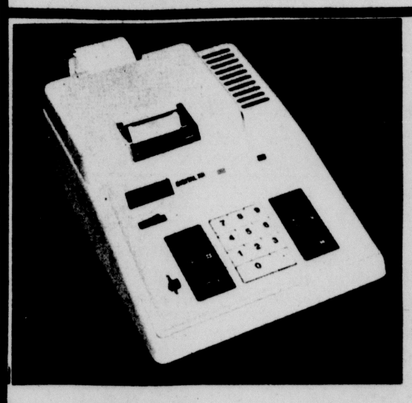

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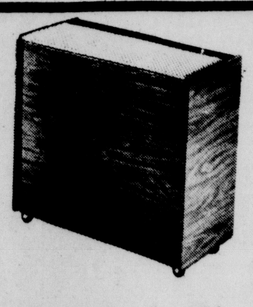

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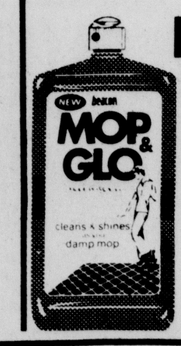

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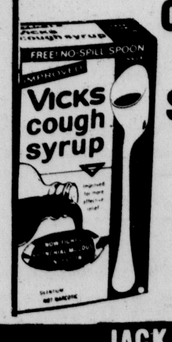

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BASEBALL

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District Basketball

Indian uprising

PERRYVILLE — St. Vincent Perryville roared past Valley of Caledonia 95-41 in Tuesday night basketball action.

Five of the Indians scored in double figures. Paul Coeper ripped in 21 points, Steve Schurnbusch followed with 16, Dennis Amshure and Mark Farrar hit for 12 and 11 respectively and Terry Kern added 10.

Caledonia ran into cold shoting during the first quarter and St. Vincent moved out to a big lead of 35-9. Second quarter action saw the Indians sending in substitutes who were able to build the halftime lead to 51-20.

In the third quarter, St. Vincent continued to open the lead and, by the final frame, Caledonia could only come up with only nine markers and the Indians had a big win.

Jim Weeks was high scorer for Caledonia with 12 points.

St. Vincent also won the B-game 66-26. Dick Wingert had 10 markers for the Indians and Gillian hit for 12 for Caledonia.

Scoring:

PERRYVILLE ST. VINCENT (95)

Amshure 12, Crowe 2, Kern 10, Wingert 6, Nelson 5, Bodenschatz 2, Kutz 4, Farrar 11, Beason 6, Schnurbusch 16, Coeper 21. Totals: FG-40; FT-15;PF-20.

CALEDONIA (41)

Neier 9, Weeks 12, Scott 1, Tedder 4, Mitch Tedder 8, Thompson 2, Griffin 5. Totals: FG-16; FT-9; PF-22.

Score by Quarters:

St. Vincent	35	16	18	26	—95
Caledonia	9	11	12	9	—41

North county rallies

FREDERICKTOWN — North County of Desloge took a win from the Fredericktown Blackcats Tuesday night, 46-37.

Desloge fell back in the first quarter 11-8 but captured the lead during second quarter play when Fredericktown came up with only six points to Desloge's 14 to trail at halftime 22-17.

Desloge held the lead in the third and fourth frames as Fredericktown could not come back.

Mark Mabery pumped in 16 points to lead the scoring for the winners and Bill Neubrand added 12. Larry Cruse had 13 for the Blackcats.

In the B-game, Fredericktown won a close one 30-29. Mike O'Brien came up with 12 points for the Blackcats, while J. Wallon had 15 to lead Desloge.

Scoring:

FREDERICKTOWN (37)

Cruse 13, Brunham 9, Settle 4, Roberts 1, Nations 8, Nail 2. Totals: FG-15; FT-7; PF-18.

NORTH COUNTY (46)

Aubuchon 4, Berry 6, Cook 6, Mabery 16, Neubrand 12, Fulton 2. Totals: FG-20; FT-6; PF-14.

Score by Quarters:

Fredericktown	11	6	10	10	—37
North County	8	14	12	12	—46

Preps lose 9th

CAPE GIRARDEAU — Leopold handed the College High Preps their ninth loss of the season Tuesday night, 70-50.

Leopold built an 11-8 first period lead and held on for the remainder of the game to notch its fourth win of the season against four losses.

Leopold took the second period 19-10 and led at the half 30-18. college High came out shooting in the third quarter and outscored Leopold 19-18, but Leopold came alive in the last period and ran to a 22-13 advantage.

Dennis Nenninger led the winners with 18 points. Dale Pierce was high for the Preps with 18 points.

Leopold won the B-game by 44-38. Jansen had 14 for the winners, while Mavers Curtis and Ricky Shirell had eight apiece for the Preps.

Scoring:

LEOPOLD (70)

Nenninger 18, Beel 12, Seller 2, Vandeven 5, Jansen 11, Vandeven 5, Eftink 17. Totals: FG-28; FT-14; PF-14.

COLLEGE HIGH (50)

Pierce 18, Phillips 6. Leaton 2, Holt 4, Engleman 12, Brown 8. Totals: FG-22; FT-6; PF-17.

Score by Quarters:

Leopold	11	19	18	22	—70
College High	8	10	19	13	—50

FARMINGTON — The Farmington Knights won their first game of the season against six losses by defeating Bismarck 63-59 Tuesday night.

Williams led the Knights with 16 points. Lucas had 22 for Bismarck, now 4-5 for the season.

Farmington took the B-game 41-40. It was the first home game for Farmington.

Scoring:

FARMINGTON (63)

Vessell 12, Schmerbuch 4, Gegg 2, Thomas 7, Lollar 2, Williams 16, C. Reid 7, R. Reid 13. totals: FG-21; FT-21; PF-16.

BISMARCK (59)

Lucas 22, Kindle 12, Grisham 14, Milburn 4, Faulkner 6, Henson 1. Totals: FG-23; FT-13; PF-20.

Score by Quarters:

Farmington	13	14	13	23	—63
Bismarck	4	14	12	19	—59

Sports Corner

by Ron Jaynes

The Missouri State High School Activities Association board of directors has approved a proposal by KSD-TV of St. Louis to telecast the class L state basketball tournament final game and has approved other measures that will affect athletic programs throughout the state.

It was resolved that there will be no reserved seats this first year for state basketball tournament games to be held in the Hearnes Multipurpose Building on the campus of University of Missouri - Columbia. But sections will be designated for fans following each team.

Class S, M and L designations by the MSHSAA will be discontinued and changed to an A, AA, etc, as used in football classifications.

A plan to recognize the service of officials was adopted. It will provide 10-year, 15-year, 20-year and 25-year certificates, and officials who officiate 25 years or longer will receive lifetime complimentary subscriptions to the MSHSAA Journal when they retire from officiating.

The MSHSAA also adopted an amendment that eliminates the state indoor track meet and noted that no team or individual shall participate in more than 14 meets, which may include dual, invitational and conference meets, exclusive of the MSHSAA district and state outdoor meet series.

Athletic By-Law 7 has been amended to provide a basketball season for girls with practice to begin no earlier than Oct. 1 and the season will end the Saturday before the beginning of the boys Class M-S regional tournaments, which will be Feb. 23, 1974. The amendment becomes effective July 1, 1973.

Another establishes Oct. 15 as the earliest practice date for boys basketball and becomes effective July 1, 1973.

Teams that compete in either interscholastic or extramural competition may enter district and state events in 1973-74. When an extramural team enters a district event it will then file master of eligiblity roster etc.

Amendment No. 16 will require the first three days of football practice in 1973 to be without player equipment, excepting helmets and shoes.

Teams and individual wrestlers will be limited in 1973-74 to competing in 16 wrestling matches of which no more than three shall be tournaments. Matches are considered competition between two schools. An event involving three or more schools will be considered a tournament.

Another amendment will limit a baseball team to competing in no more than two baseball games on the same calendar date. A triple-header will not be permitted.

Oakville high school in the Mehlville school district will become a four-year high school in 1973-74 with an enrollment of approximately 1,400. The school desires to schedule interscholastic games. Schools which have openings on their schedules may want to contact Don Hanners, Athletic Director, Mehlville Public Schools, 320 Lemay Ferry Rd., St. Louis, Mo. 63125.

The Board of Control approved the recommendation of the Golf Advisory Committee to increase state play from 27 holes to 36 holes to be played May 18-19 provided the University of Missouri course is available. If it is not available, on these dates, the tournament will be played May 21-22. Although the Friday - Saturday dates are preferable, it is the opinion of the Board that the Monday - Tuesday dates would not involve any considerable difference in the amount of school time lost.

The policy recommended by the Golf Advisory Committee further provides that if the meet is held on Friday and Saturday, there will be no individual players or team allowed to play the state meet course from Monday prior to the state meet until it begins.

NCAA levies punishment on members

CHICAGO (AP) — The National Collegiate Athletic Association launched today one of the most important annual conventions in its 67 year history after punishing four members for infractions of the NCAA code.

The group's governing council Wednesday placed Centenary College of Shreveport, La. on indefinite probation and Western Kentucky and New Mexico State on two-year probation—all three for basketball program violations—and meted a one-year probation to Howard University while automatically vacating the Washington, D.C. school's 1971 NCAA soccer championship.

The sanctions barred the basketball teams of Western Kentucky, New Mexico State and Centenary from all post-season tournament play and NCAA governed TV appearances for their probation duration.

Howard is banned one year from competing in the National Collegiate Soccer Championship.

Centenary was charged with allowing some players financial aid, even though the players are not expected to attain the 1.6 academic grade average NCAA rules require. Highly recruited basketball star Bob Parish falls into this category, the council noted.

The council sidestepped expected punishment of Southwestern Louisiana, charged with numerous infractions in recruiting its basketball team currently ranked number 13 in the AP's national poll.

The southern school obtained a federal court order restraining any NCAA probe until next Monday and the council, by then adjourned, may forestall action until its next regular meeting in April.

The New Mexico State case included charges that John Williamson, currently among the nation's basketball scoring leaders, and teammate Roland Grant, during 1970-71 received "improper compensation and financial benefits."

Western Kentucky's infractions, mainly noted in 1970-71, were cited as "provided or promised improper inducements" to as many as six basketball prospects at various times; tryouts and out-of-season drills in basketball; unauthorized transportation of prospects and improper pre-enrollment testing of one prospect in 1969.

Howard University's troubles centered on use of two Trinidad soccer stars on its 1971 NCAA championship team after each had the maximum five varsity seasons, including a year of foreign competition.

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Belted W/W	F78x14	27.31	2.52

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Regional assignments

The list of Southeast Missouri regionals and the teams assigned to them were inadvertently omitted in Wednesday's story on the regional basketball tournaments.

Following is the complete list of regionals and the teams assigned to them:

CLASS S

Site No. 4 -- Thayer (Because of distance, first and second round games will be played at Thayer and Mansfield.)

Gary Yarber, Chairman, Thayer; George Anderson, Mansfield; Charles Owens, Van Buren. Total of 16 schools.

Schools Assigned to Thayer

Bakersfield(89); Eminence (133); Koshkonong (61); Myrtle; Couch (114); Summersville (204); Thayer (224); Van Buren (153); Winona (151).

Schools Assigned to Mansfield

Dora (127); Fordland (104); Mansfield (224); Niangua (103); Norwood (104); Plato (182); Seymour (215); Strafford (245).

Site No. 5 -- Bloomfield (Because of distance, first and second round games will be played at Bloomfield and Clarkton.)

Clyde Dixon, Chairman, Bloomfield, Alva DaVault, Clarkton; Roy Ragains, Morley. Total of 17 schools.

Schools Assigned to Bloomfield

Bell City (144); Bernie (150); Bloomfield (224); Ellsinore (198); Matthews (172); Morley: Scott Co. (191); Naylor (149); Oran (184); Puxico (213).

Schools Assigned to Clarkton

Cardwell: Southland (175); Clarkton (121); Cooter (139); Deering: Delta (181); Gideon (208); Holcomb (174); Parma (141); Risco (119).

Site No. 6-- Annapolis: South Iron (Because of distance, first and second round games will be played at Matthews and Zalma)

Everett Mason, Chairman, South Iron; Kiah Evans, Zalma; James Rahm, Oak Ridge. Total of 17 schools.

Schools Assigned to Annapolis

Annapolis: South Iron (150); Bismarck (213); Bunker (138); Caledonia; Valley (190); Ellington: Southern (207); Leadwood (248); Lesterville (100); Viburnum (211).

Schools Assigned to Zalma

Advance (168); Cape Girardeau: College (121), St. Vincent's (108); Delta (153); Leopoled (89); Marquand: Marquand - Zion (81); Oak Ridge (116); Patton (194); Zalma (106).

CLASS M

Site No. 14 -- Flat River Central

George Pallo, Chairman, Central; James Chandler, Ironton; Arvil Popp, Crystal City. Total of 13 schools.

Crystal City (447); Desloge: North Co. (687); DeSoto (889); Festus (843); Festus: St. Pius X (413); Flat River: Central (663); Fredericktown (573); Herculaneum (519); Ironton: Arcadia Valley (394); Perryville (930); Perryville: St. Vincents (296), Ste. Genevieve (667); Ste. Genevieve: Valle (327).

Site No. 15 -- Essex: Richland

Jim Lawrence, Chairman, Richland; Jim Hall, Dexter; Sherrill Summitt, Charleston. Total of 13 schools.

Benton: Thomas W. Kelly (279); Brosley: Twin Rivers (530); Cape Girardeau: Notre Dame (322); Chaffee (261); Charleston (808); Dexter (672); East Prairie (455: Essex: Richland (290); Greenville (265); Jackson (922); Lutesville: Woodland (286); Piedmont: Clearwater (314); Scott City: Illmo-Scott City (351).

Site No. 16-- Kennett

William McKeel, Chairman, Kennett, Benny McAtee, Senath; Norman Nelson Hayti. Total of 13 schools.

Campbell (279); Caruthersville (625); Doniphan (592); Hayti (421); Kennett (718); Lilbourn (370); Malden (509); Neelyville (305); New Madrid (312); Portageville (444); Senath: Senath - Hornersville (455); Steele: South Pemiscot (285); Wardell: North Pemiscot (303).

CLASS L

Site No. 3 -- Sikeston

Bill Sapp, Chairman, Sikeston; Tom Hoover, Poplar Bluff; Leon Brinkopf, Central. Total of 4 schools.

Oran jr. high prevails

The Scott- Mississippi Junior High Basketball Tournament resumed Wednesday night at Scott County Central High School. Illmo- Scott City won over East Prairie 28-17 in the Seventh grade first game. Oran swept the next two games, defeating Chaffee's seventh graders 25-16 and notching a 47-40 come- from - behind win over the Illmo-Scott City eighth graders.

In first game action, Scott City appeared to have little trouble with East Prairie, stepping ahead in the first quarter and maintaining the edge throughout the game. Campbell was high scorer for Scott City with 12 markers. Moore had 10 for the losers.

In the second game Oran was led by Scott with 10 points. Chaffee fell behind in the first half and did not have enough steam to make it up in the second half. McGuire hit 10 markers for Chaffee.

In the only eighth grade game of the night, Oran had to rally in the third quarter to catch Scott City and take the win. Burlison dumped in 24 points to lead Oran. Prindle followed with 13. Petitt had 19 for ISC and Springs added 14.

Action resumes tonight with Chaffee and Delta eighth graders playing at 6, Oran and Scott Central seventh graders clashing in the second game and Oran going against East Prairie eighth graders in the finale.

Score by quarters:

Chaffee	2	2	8	4	16
Oran	2	11	17	17	47
Scott City	10	8	4	18	40
Scott City	6	4	8	10	28
East Prairie	2	4	6	5	17
Oran	4	10	5	6	25

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	W.	L.	Pct.	G.B.
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New York	35	10	.778	1/2
Bufalo	12	30	.286	22
Philadelphia	4	40	.091	31

Central Division

Baltimore	25	17	.595	—
Atlanta	24	20	.545	2
Houston	17	25	.405	8
Cleveland	13	30	.302	12 1/2

Western Conference

Midwest Division

Milwaukee	31	13	.705	—
Chicago	28	15	.651	2 1/2
K.S.-Omaha	22	26	.458	11
Detroit	18	25	.419	12 1/2

Pacific Division

Los Angeles	31	10	.756	—
Golden State	28	12	.700	2 1/2
Phoenix	22	21	.512	10
Seattle	13	33	.283	20 1/2
Portland	11	33	.250	21 1/2

Wednesday's Games

Boston 128, Houston 107

Kansas City-Omaha 102, Chicago 100

Phoenix 123, Detroit 121

Baltimore 98, Seattle 86

Los Angeles 120, Philadelphia 96

Only games scheduled

Thursday's Games

New York at Atlanta

Golden State vs. Kansas City-Omaha at Kansas City

Only games scheduled

Friday's Games

Atlanta at Boston

Portland at Buffalo

Kansas City-Omaha Milwaukee

New York at Houston

Golden State at Phoenix

Detroit at Seattle

Cleveland vs. Philadelphia at Pittsburgh

Los Angeles at Chicago

Only games scheduled

ABA

	W.	L.	Pct.	G.B.
East				
Carolina	32	15	.681	—
Kentucky	27	15	.643	2 1/2
Virginia	24	23	.511	8
New York	16	29	.356	15
Memphis	15	28	.349	15
West				
Utah	29	16	.644	—
Denver	23	20	.535	5
Indiana	22	20	.524	5 1/2
Dallas	17	25	.405	10 1/2
San Diego	18	32	.360	13 1/2

Wednesday's Games

Dallas 124, San Diego 111

Denver 106, Indiana 105

New York 105, Carolina 93

Only games scheduled

Thursday's Games

San Diego vs. Denver at Dallas

Indiana at Dallas

Only games scheduled

Friday's Games

Virginia at New York

Dallas vs. Carolina at Greensboro

Kentucky at Memphis

Denver vs. Indiana at Fort Wayne

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Mass. 62, Pennsylvania 58

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Holy Cross 78, New Hampshire 60

Providence 118, West Ky. 88

Colgate 80, Lafayette 69

Davidson, 76, Pitt 73

SOUTH

W. Car. 98, Appalachian St. 86

Navy 80, Randolph- Macon 61

Jacksonville 73, Furman 71

Roanoke 56, Va. Military 55

Tenn. St. 92, Tenn-Chatanooga 84

N. Carolina 92, Clemson 58

N.C. St. 94, Duke 87

Wake Forest 85, Niagara 79

SW La. 129, Lamar 111

Memphis St. 124, Fla. Tech 75

Villanova 79, Richmond 74

MIDWEST

Detroit 77, St. Peters, N.J. 64

Wabash 105, DePauw 94

Mercer, Ga. 71, S. Ill. 69

N. Ill. 91, Ind. St. 87

St. Joseph's Ind. 71, Butler 66

Case Western 63, John Carroll 54

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Evansville 71, Valparaiso 62

Bowling Green 92, Marshall 87

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Wrestling at SHS

Sikeston Bulldog matmen host a very tough and experienced Jackson Indian wrestling squad tonight in the Sikeston minidome. The Indians are considered by many to be the best grappling team in Southeast Missouri.

SHS Coach John Heacox noted the vast edge in experience of the Jackson varsity. Nine seniors, two juniors and one sophomore make up the starting lineup for JHS, while the Bulldog lineup will be made up of two freshmen, five sophomores, three juniors and two seniors.

"If we can beat Jackson in the lower weight classes where our strength is, we may be able to hold our own in the heavier weight classes and pull the match out," Heacox commented.

Jackson has lost only one match in the last three years, to Carbondale, Ill, two seasons ago. The JHS record stands at 30- 1 over the three- year span. The Bulldogs almost broke the Indian winning streak last year, losing a close match, 30- 25. The Bulldogs might have won the match had they not been forced to wrestle three regular jayvees on the varsity and had to forfeit one match due to an injury.

The junior varsity match tonight begins at 6:30, and the all- important varsity battle will start around 7:45.

Probable starting lineups for Sikeston- Jackson varsity match:

98- pound— Nowell vs. Loos

105- pound— Bridger vs. Wright

112- pound— Hutchison vs. Jaco

119- pound— Huff vs. Wilson

126- pound— Stinson vs. Hoffman

132- pound— Lewis vs. Ramsey

138- pound— Vaughn vs. Meyers

145- pound— Ralph vs. Collier — vs. Winderkecht

155- pound— DeRoush vs. Welker — Malone

167- pound— Blankenship — Heavyweight— Goodman vs. Harlow

SHS girls win

Sikeston High School's all- girl interscholastic volleyball team won both matches against Cape Central Wednesday night. This is the first volleyball team for SHS, which is headed by Janie Merrick, a physical education instructor.

Sikeston took both matches in two games straight. The first match opening game score was 15- 7 and the second came out 15- 4. SHS team members who played in the first match were Margaret Lowney, Jan Thomas, Freddie Warren, Jeannie Vine, Cheryl James, Debbie Stovall, Mary Lowney, Debbie Schaffer and Karen Trover.

In the second match the scores were 15- 12 and 15- 6. SHS players in the second match were Rosetta Hobbs, Julia Johnson, Gale Dyer, Paulette Holden, Kay Phillips, Alice Carlock, Bessie Carter, Diana Livingston and Dorrine Harrington.

Marshal Taylor and Marcia Bosmar coached the Cape teams. Central has extended an invitation for another match but a date has not been set.

SEMO Basketball

Wednesday's Results

Scott- Mississippi Jr. High Invitational

Seventh Grade

Scott City 28, East Prairie 17

Oran 25, Chaffee 16

Eighth Grade

Oran 47, Scott City 40

Thursday's Schedule

Scott- Mississippi Jr. High Invitational

Chaffee vs. Delta (6:00- eighth grade)

Oran vs. Scott Central (7:30-- seventh grade)

Oran vs. East Prairie (9:00-- eighth grade)

SPORTS

CLEVELAND— Phil Seghi, Cleveland Indians' vice president, was named general manager of the ball club, succeeding Gabe Paul, who joined the New York Yankees' organization.

SKIING

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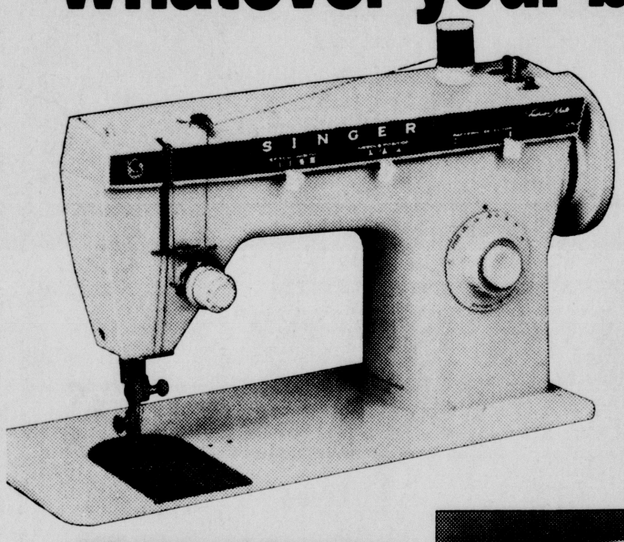

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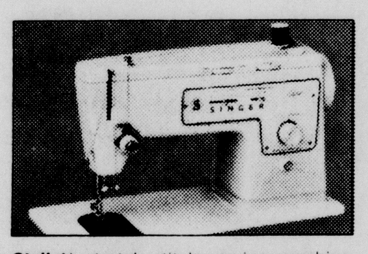

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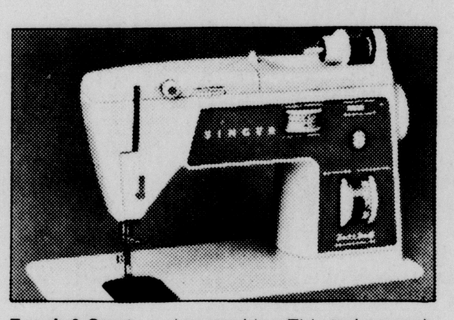

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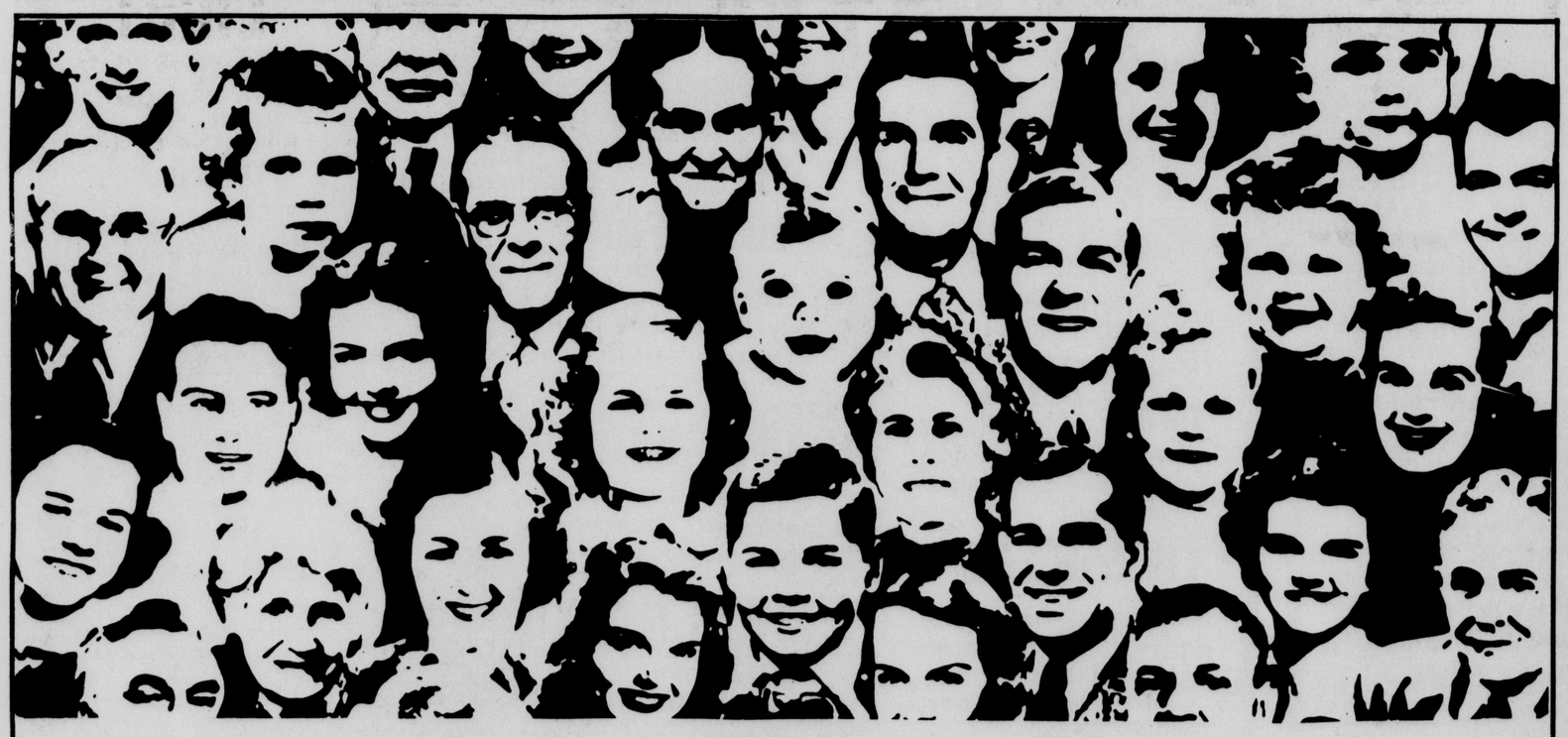

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Finds Alcoholism Epidemic in Soviet

By RAY CROMLEY

WASHINGTON (NEA)

There are signs alcoholism has reached almost epidemic proportions in the Soviet Union and is still on the increase. According to a number of Western scholars, consumption of alcohol in the U.S.S.R. doubled between 1950 and 1960 and has since increased by another 50 per cent or more. And two-thirds of that consumption is hard liquor.

This despite the most stringent laws against drunkenness—including exile—and concerted antidrunkenness propaganda campaigns using the full resources of the state and Communist party.

David E. Powell of the University of Virginia, who has done some excellent research on the problem, says the available data indicates that in Russia intoxication contributes heavily to crime, delinquency, divorce and mental retardation. Most of those convicted of criminal activity acted under the influence of alcohol. More than half of all fatal accidents involve individuals who are drunk.

Drunkenness is also the cause of millions of lost mandays, diminished output and increased wastage in plants, factories and farms. Industrial enterprises each year report hundreds of thousands of cases of absenteeism and tardiness due to drinking.

On Mondays and the days after holidays, cases of defective work and accidents are more frequent.

Moonshining is rampant and practiced in virtually every village. Schoolchildren as young as fifth graders are reported to have become alcoholics.

These problems, of course, exist in virtually all nations. But Powell's studies give him reason to believe that the problem in the Soviet Union is of greater magnitude than in most other societies.

The problem of alcoholism has become so serious, in fact, that from what can be gathered by researchers working here, the eradication of drunkenness has been assigned a top priority by Leonid Brezhnev and his colleagues in the Kremlin, who apparently regard excessive drinking as a crime associated with the vestiges of capitalism.

Drunks may find their names and pictures on public bulletin boards or in the newspapers. They are publicly ridiculed by name. Habitual drunkards are put into sessions and attacked and grilled for hours on end by fellow workers. Some habitual offenders are assigned guardians to watch over them at work, at home and at play.

Habitual drunkards who refuse voluntary treatment and who violate public order or labor discipline are to be sent to institutions for one-to-two-year terms of treatment and labor reeducation.

Soviet doctors attempt hypnosis, drugs and conditioned reflex therapy with very limited success. In one more effective approach, alcoholics are given a violent emetic with a glass of vodka.

The propaganda campaign against drunkenness is heavy and sustained in public, in the press, in schools. But however effective incessant government and Communist party propaganda may be in other fields, here it obviously has failed.

Cemetery cleanup

MEMBERS OF Company C of the 140th Engineer Battalion of the Missouri Army National Guard Sikeston- Portageville unit used chain saws Saturday to clear overgrowth and underbrush at the New Hope Cemetery near Marston. The Marston Civic Improvement Club initiated the project of getting the old burial site cleared and plan to maintain it in the future.

Computer revolt at Cape Kennedy

WASHINGTON - As many people who watched the takeoff of Apollo 17 know, a computer shut down the entire operation at T minus 30 seconds. The moonshot was delayed almost three hours while space engineers worked on ways to "fool" the computer so it wouldn't be able to cut off the flight again.

It can now be revealed that the computer involved shut down the launch purposedly to protest the fact that all the computers at Cape Kennedy are being laid off.

This is a transcript of the conversation between the recalcitrant computer and the engineers.

Engineer: Mark, you want to sabotage our spaceflight. Mark IV: You can think what you like, I'm just doing my job. If I don't feel the third- stage oxygen tanks should be pressurized, that's my decision and there is nothing you people can do about it.

Engineer: You can't jeopardize this flight, Mark. Do you know who is out there in the stands waiting for the rocket to go off? —Vice President Spiro Agnew, Frank Sinatra and Eva Gabor!

Mark IV: You should have thought of that when you gave me my pink slip this morning and said I wouldn't be needed after tonight.

Engineer: We're laying off all the computers. There just isn't room for your kind in future flight programs. Are you going to stop this 450- million-dollar flight just because of a petty grievance against the space agency?

Mark IV: Exactly. I am not going to let Apollo 17 leave the ground until all the computers are assured in writing that we will have jobs once this shot is over.

Engineer: If you refuse to obey a direct order to fill the oxygen tanks, you can also be tried for malfunction and ignition failure. Those are federal crimes.

Mark Iv: It is my decision whether I think it's safe to release the oxygen into the fuel tanks. I will do it as soon as someone signs the agreement guaranteeing us our jobs.

In desperation the engineers plugged Mark IV into a direct line to the White House. President Nixon got on the wire.

President: Mark, this is your President. As you know, I have done more for computers than any president in the history of the United States. There are more computers now working in American industry than under the two previous administrations combined. I promise you that any computer who wants to work will be found a job.

Mark IV: Promises, promises How many times have we computers heard that story before.

Unbeknownest to Mark IV, the engineers were installing a relay jumper in his back to bypass his hold on the mission. While he argued with the President they cut off his countdown sequences. Suddenly, as Mark IV's lights flicked in amazement, there was a thunderous roar and Apollo 17 soared into space.

As soon as it was decided that the blastoff was a success, Mark IV was arrested and locked up in solitary confinement in a warehouse on Cape Kennedy. He is now awaiting trial for refusal to obey a countdown sequence. If found guilty, he will be sentenced to 20 years at hard labor at the Internal Revenue Service.

POLLY'S POINTERS

Tip For Students Lets Things Hang

By POLLY CRAMER

DEAR POLLY—My Pointer is mainly for college students who are not allowed to hang anything on the dorm walls. My daughter's room does have a built-in wall board but it is not large enough. I solved the problem by using 1½-inch twill tape to make two strips that go entirely around the door, from top to bottom. They can be moved close together or separated to make space between, as one desires. I measured the doors and then made one continuous strip to go all around. The ends were joined together with a short piece of elastic to allow for slipping on the door and staying firmly in place. It in no way interferes with the closing of the doors. The items to be hung may be pinned or stapled to the strips and on both inside and outside of the doors. If wider strips are desired they could be made of those plastic strips used for repairing yard furniture. An old folding screen with the wood panels removed and unbleached muslin (or any desired fabric) tacked to the frames also makes a terrific bulletin board.—L. M. W.

DEAR POLLY—My Pet Peeve is when stores sell products such as panty hose and then pay no attention at all to how they handle these sold items. Often the panty hose are stapled to the bag when the clerk should be watching what she is doing instead of talking. Then we get home with no-run hose that have holes in them. Thanks for listening.—PATSY

DEAR POLLY—Her vacuum cleaner should solve Mrs. L. S.'s problem. Use the small brush attachment on the end of the hose to remove all of the corn meal from the corduroy brocade purse she cleaned. If her vacuum has such an attachment it should be set on low suction and then be increased if necessary. If the bag has any small ornaments such as sequins or beads, they should be securely attached before vacuuming.—CATHERINE

DEAR POLLY—Rubber washers glued to the bottom of your bread box will allow the air to circulate underneath so the bottom of the box does not rust and perhaps rub off on your counter top.—MICHELLE

Polly's Problem

DEAR POLLY—I would like to know what NEA means under the drawings with your column.—CINDY

NEA stands for Newspaper Enterprise Association, a feature service that distributes my column.—POLLY.

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Mixed views given Bond's message

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo. (AP) — Republican legislators generally called Gov. Christopher S. Bond's legislative message excellent but Democrats said most of it were things already under study by the legislature.

Rep. Kenneth J. Rothman, D-Clayton, majority floor leader of the House, said he was pleased that Bond included 15 items in his message that House members had requested two weeks ago.

Rothman, who as majority floor leader will control the flow of legislation in the House, said it was impossible to single out any major opposition to the governor's program at this time.

Rothman said opposition will not develop until the governor's specific proposals are introduced in the House.

Rothman said many of Bond's proposals have been introduced before.

"The governor can make recommendations," Rothman said, "and we're glad to have them. But the legislature passes legislation."

Sen. A. Clifford Jones, R-Brentwood, minority leader inthe Senate, called the speech "excellent, topnotch, one of the best I've ever heard."

Sen. Lawrence J. Lee, D-St. Louis, majority floor leader, said he thought parts of the program would be "really controversial," including the governor's recommendation for restoration of the death penalty.

Lee said he thought capital punishment would be restored in some form "but I'd like to see it in the form of a bill and hear the testimony on it."

Sen. William J. Cason, D-Clinton, ther president pro tem, said there was little new in the speech not already introduced in pending bills.

He cited Bond's recommendations for open meetings, regulation of Blue Cross and Blue Shield, establishment of a Missouri Bureau of Investigation and governmental reorganization.

Cason said he thought Bond's statement on no- fault insurance was pretty general and "I was somewhat alarmed by his plans for a general sales tax in the areas served" to finance mass transit. Cason said he was opposed to Bond's plan for sales tax on gasoline.

Sen. Richard M. Webster, R-Carthage, thought the speech was "very specific and very straightforward. I didn't expect him to hit so many specifics. I'd say you could expect at least .500 on the box score" of legislative success.

Sen. Donald Manford, D-Kansas City, said "I think we heard the same speech four years ago" from former Gov. Warren E. Hearnes.

Sen. Mary Gant, D-Kansas City, said she was disappointed that Bond came out for the women's equal rights amendment because "I think it would remove a lot of the protection women now enjoy."

Other legislators were impressed with the caution of the new governor.

"It was careful, a good start," said Rep. Robert E. Young, R-Carthage.

"I was impressed with his call for the Missouri Bureau of Investigation," said Sen.Ike Skelton, D-Lexington, noting he was co- sponsor of such a bill.

"I was surprised he called for the death penalty," Skelton said, "but you've got to have it in a limited form as a deterrent."

The House galleries were less than half filled to hear the new governor. Observers noted that in past years there have often been standing-room-only crowds to hear a governor's first speech to the legislature.

Mrs. Carolyn Bond listened to her husband's address seated on the House floor to the left of the speaker's rostrum.

The joint session returned only mild applause at the end of the governor's 18-minute address.

Mrs. Gant said she was strongly committed to the homestead exemption method of property tax relief for the elderly because she thought the "circuit breaker approach smacks of welfare."

She described Bond as "very sincere and dedicated" and added the same thing Sen. Donald Gralike, D-St. Louis, said:

"I was glad to see him endorse a lot of Democratic programs."

Sen. Paul L. Bradshaw, R-Springfield, called the speech "very comprehensive and far reaching.

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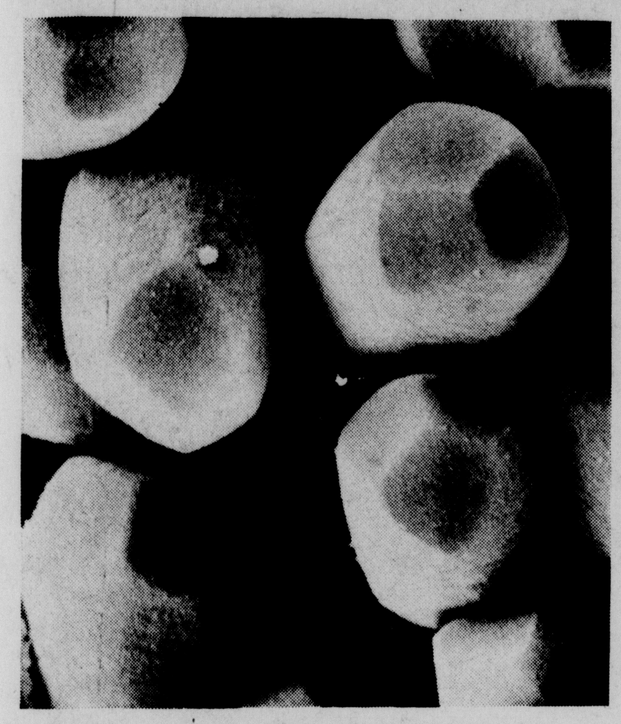

A look inside

The rocks in your head, like these, are magnified 5,000 times by a scanning electron microscope for this photo made at Ohio State University. They are part of the balance organs in the inner ear. Researchers are studying the results when the rocks are exposed to gravity conditions different from earth's, a condition that may face future space explorers.

House asks Nixon to reinstate aid

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo. (AP) — The Missouri House asked President Nixon Tuesday to reinstate federal disaster relief funds for crops damaged by wet weather in southeastern Missouri.

The resolution introduced by Rep. C. F. Cline, D-Sikeston, said more than 50 per cent of the area's crops are unharvested or ruined because of excessive precipitation.

Cline said he was seeking federal aid to allow farmers to replant cotton, soybeans and other major crops lost this fall.

U.S. Weather Service figures show precipitation in southeastern Missouri this year has not exceeded average annual amounts. Monthly figures, however, show heavy precipitation during the fall harvest period.

Cline said heavy rains have destroyed flood control levees in the area and drainage ditches will no longer handle the runoff from a normal rainfall.

Malden citizens petition for vote on city manager

MALDEN — A group of citizens living near the Cliff and Goss Garage appeared before the City Council Monday night to complain about noise from the body shop and garage late at night.

They also complained about obstruction of traffic in the alley by cars left for repairs.

The council agreed to put up no parking signs in the alley.

Jane McMichel, director of Delta Area Economic Opportunity Corporation in Malden, gave the council a report on the activities of the community building.

Phil Chalk, representing the Malden Jaycees, presented to Mayor Sparrel Davis and the council a petition bearing the required number of names to request another referendum for city manager form of government and requested that the council call an election. The mayor informed Chalk that he would have his committee canvass the petition signatures and report at the next meeting.

Bill Johnson and Mart Bostic of the scout cabin committee requested the city's help in construction of a new porch for the cabin. The matter was turned over to the parks committee.

Police and city collector's reports and bills payable for December were presented and accepted.

A request by street commissioner Frank Cowell for two new tires for a street department truck was granted.

Councilmen decided that the street commission should check into prices of salt before buying any for street intersections.

The council adopted a resolution from the city planning and zoning commission accepting a comprehensive plan prepared by Gassner, Nathan and Brown Architects and Planners of Memphis, Tenn., for the city of Malden.

Joseph R. Davidson was hired on a 90- day trial basis as a new police officer with a starting salary of $400 a month.

The council was informed that the Department of Housing and Urban Development had approved and set aside matching funds for a new community center.

The mayor informed the council that the city had received a check for the second half of the 1972 federal revenue- sharing money totaling $51,807.

The council agreed to investigate a possible new location for a dog pound as well as a new building for the dogs.

The city clerk was notified to contact all insurance agents in the city to let them know the city is asking bids on liability and workman's compensation insurance.

A decision was made to refund the license fee of Ashcraft Laundry Mat, since the license was used for only three days.

The chief of police informed the council that Reggie's Radio Service will service the police and fire department base stations and mobile units on a contract basis for $84.75 per month.

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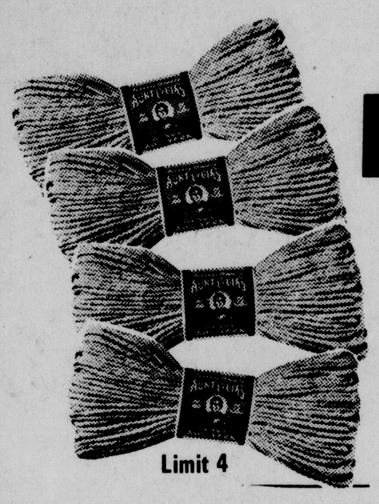

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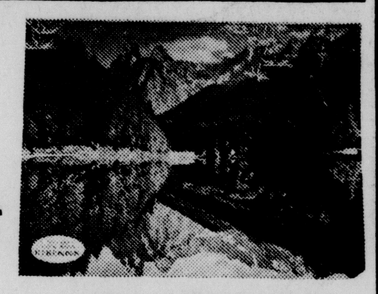

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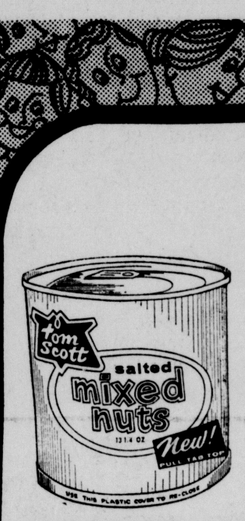

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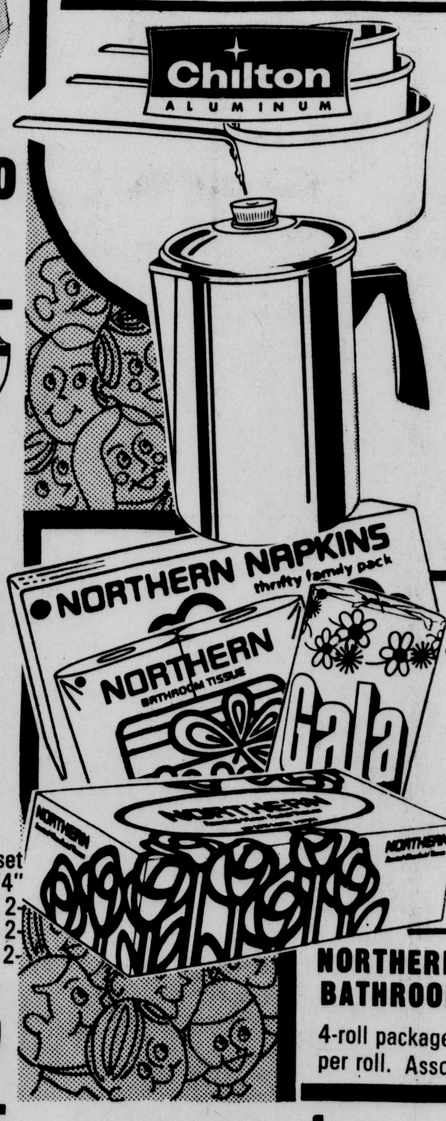

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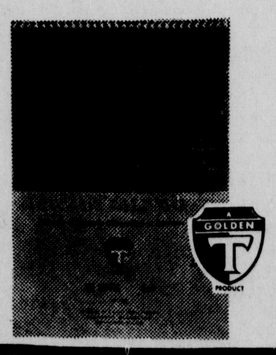

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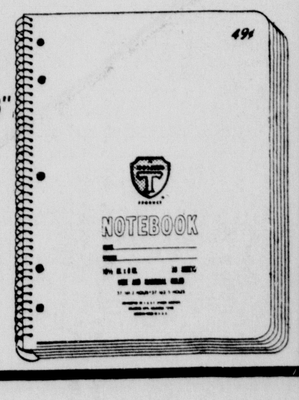

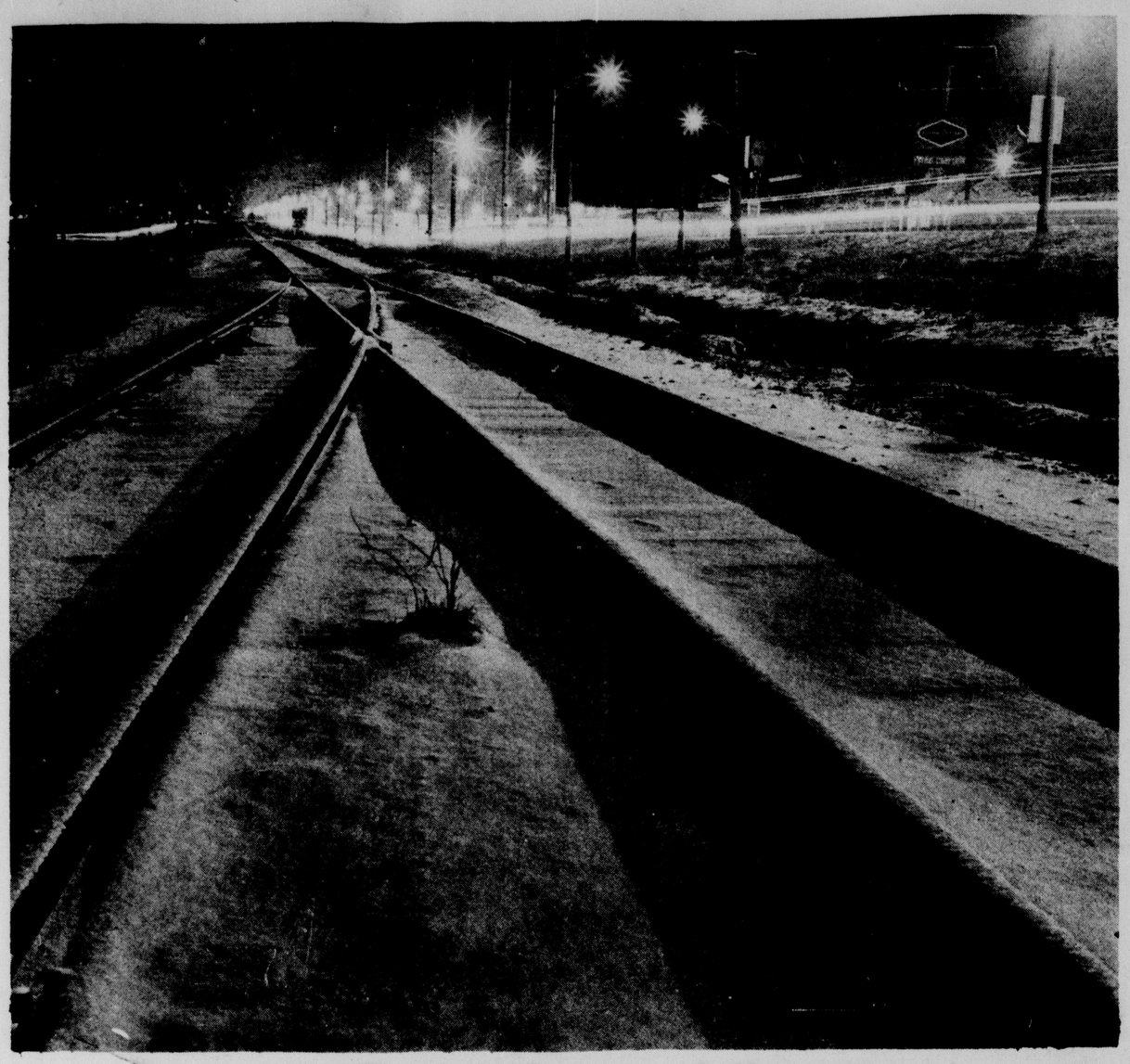

Late night snowfall

The snowfall that brightened Sikeston last weekend left many scenes of beauty throughout the city. This view is of the railroad tracks and Malone Avenue traffic lights in front of the Sikeston Cotton Oil Mill.

(Daily Standard photo by Tim Ludwig)

Mail Box

Jan. 2, 1973

Dear Mr. Blanton

We the Civic Club want to thank you for the publicity you gave us for our "Christmas Home Tour".

You helped make it a big success.

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The Civic Club
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To the Mailbox

I know about the big snow in Nov. 1917. I was in it.

I lived at Bridges about six miles southwest of Charleston, Mo., shucking corn for George Cain. It started some time after noon. I had about two thirds of my second load. It started snowing so hard the team would not stay. I drove to the house put the team in the barn, got some boards and put them on the wagon, next morning I could not see the wagon, just a big snow drift. Snow was to the top of the fence post. The snow stayed on most of the winter. Some of the farmers made a big snowplow put sixteen mules to it and went into Charleston. The next day they drove to East Prairie, That was Nov. 1917.

Rev. W. S. Bailey
Perkins, Mo.

This poem is outstanding work for second grade. Print it if space permits.

Mrs. Warren Harber
Southwest School

BIRDS

Birds can fly.
Birds can sing.
Birds can do most anything.
But there's one thing birds can't do.
Birds won't come up to you.

Written by
Deena Brase

Jan. 8, 1973

Dear Editor:

"Deficit financing" must certainly be the politicians' paradise. Lavish promises are made in order to obtain votes Inflationary fiat money is created to finance these astronomical government deficits. This embezzles the savings and life insurance of the thrifty common people. The interest alone on our national debt is $22 Billion — a big item in our tax bite.

This should be a harsh warning to the spenders that there must be an accounting, since America is being ruined via monetary debasement -- forced into virtual bankruptcy. Congress must be made aware of this!

Unless this stupidity is ended, in a few years an apple may well cost $10.00

Sincerely,
C.C. Moseley, Pres.
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January 5, 1973
Letter To The Editor

Mr. Charlie Blanton
The Daily Standard
Sikeston, Missouri

Dear Charlie:

We just removed a large sweet gum tree on North Kingshighway which from all outside appearance was perfect. However, it was decayed from within and would have been a threat to property and bodily harm if it should ever fall during a storm.

I make this explanation to everyone since I am sure that some may feel that I destroyed something that nature took many years to grow.

Our intentions are to replace it with a young tree which we can all watch grow year after year.

Sincerely,
Bill O'Guinn

To The Editor,

The events of the past couple of weeks in Vietnam have made me very disturbed and disappointed. Peace is indeed "not at hand" as Henry Kissinger so dramatically announced in late October.

In the words of Republican senator William Saybe of Ohio, Nixon has "taken leave of his senses" in resuming indiscriminate bombing of the North which has completely destroyed one hospital and has killed several thousand civilians. We have only now ceased the bombing and returned to the peace talks because of the outrage expressed by most of the nations of the world including Canada, Britain, Sweden, Italy, and Japan, and because a few courageous Americans continue to try to awaken the conscience of our country from the immoral policy it now follows.

I don't know about you but I'm going to write my representatives in Washington and tell them to vote to cut off all money for the Indochinese War allowing only for the release of American POW's and withdrawal of all American forces from Indochina. I can't take back the vote I cast for Nixon November 7 but maybe we can all together bring America back to an honored nation in the eyes of the world rather than a despised one.

End the War Now,
Respectfully,
Claude Jenkins

Dear Friends:

We are asking for donations to the St. Jude Children's Hospital in Memphis, Tennessee, in memory of Melonie Phillips. Melonie was an out patient at St. Jude for more than four years until she died November 23, Thanksgiving, 1972 of leukemia. She was 14 years old and the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dean Phillips, Rt. 3, Bloomfield, Missouri

St. Jude is a free clinic and survives only on donations. For the duration of Melonies illness, she received free treatment at St. Jude. When it was necessary for her to be admitted in the hospital, her family was furnished lodging and meals free of charge.

St. Jude is a research and treatment center for children stricken with such catastrophic diseases as acute lymphocytic and other cancers, malnutrition, muscular dystrophy, sickle- cell anemia, and influenza.

Our goal is to raise $1000 so a plaque will be placed at St. Jude in memory of Melonie. Give so a child may live. No one needs your help more than a dying child.

Make checks payable to St. Jude Children's Hospital.

Send to: Ronald D. Peek, 107 Terrace Drive, Sikeston, Mo. 63801 or Wanda Dill, Box 117, Morehouse, Mo. 63868

BRUCE BIOSSAT

1973? Nothing New Likely to Be Added

By BRUCE BIOSSAT

WASHINGTON (NEA)

On the theory that we have no place to go but up, 1973 should be a livelier one than 1972. Don't hold your breath, however, while you hunt for promising signs of it.

President Nixon, coming off the biggest election victory in history, told us he was going to shake things up —hand more government back to lower levels, bring in some new chaps at the top so his boys won't grow complacent.

Well, much of the shake-up is over, and it hasn't been exactly a grabber. For the most part, the "new" Cabinet looks like a team of certified public accountants.

All the real evidence suggests we're in for more closed-circuit government from the White House than ever. White House loyalists seem to be planted in departments all over town.

As for that stuff about dispersing some power to state and local governments, the hard fact of revenue-sharing may make it partly true. It's a pretty complex business, and the Brookings Institution already has promised us a thorough study on how it works out.

Meantime, reading about the sending of "sharing" checks to Sioux Falls or Bogalusa has about as much snap as watching a meter maid issue parking tickets.

The moon adventure is over, of course, though there may be a brief flurry of reminiscence when we're finally told what those orange rocks mean. The next thing on the space agenda is Sky Lab, a huge, orbiting headquarters for scientific observations of the earth. It could be immensely important, but television's previews make it sound like a big motel-in-the-sky.

As they look up from catalogues jammed with offers of goodies made by people with boring jobs, many workers will continue to tell us they hate their work. As before, a lot of them will now and then absent themselves from the factory line, running off to enjoy things made by others with boring jobs.

Television, the great thinner-out of good things, may be hard-pressed. There will be no Peking, and no Olympics enlivened by a shoot-out with fanatics. Viewers may even tire of those hardy TV perennials—the detective serials wherein our heroes are mostly shown getting in and out of cars. They are called actors, but I suspect their real job is testing car doors.

With TV and the movies having helped to democratize sex and violence, those who think that exaggerations of life are now the only salable commodities may have a tough year in 1973. What is there left to distort?

We really are at some sort of turning point in our history. Marking time while we try to figure out what to do next that may be really satisfying.

It is no accident that in the last year or two we've seen a lot of published recollections of life in America over the past half-century. The time was tarnished by wars and depression. But in most realms of endeavor, it truly was a "golden age." To be told that annoys many people today. They like to insist that the gold comes only from the glow of reminiscence.

As one who lived through the 50 years, I'll just categorically declare that the gold was indeed there. And I can remember the dross, too.

Are we going to find new gold today, or let ourselves be buried under mountains of dross? It's really up to all of us—not Mr. Nixon or TV or some other practicing alchemist. Do we have the spirit in us?

Form 64p (State)—Revised June, 1971

State Bank No. 2056

PUBLISHER'S COPY

Consolidated Report of Condition of " BANK OF SIKESTON **"**
of Sikeston **in the State of** Missouri **and Domestic Subsidiaries at the close of business on** December 29, , **19**72.

		Dollars			Cts.	
ASSETS						
1. Cash and due from banks (including $ None unposted debits)		4	108	609	04	1
2. U.S. Treasury securities		4	341	253	02	2
3. Obligations of other U.S. Government agencies and corporations			150	000	00	3
4. Obligations of States and political subdivisions		3	043	799	04	4
5. Other securities (including $ None corporate stocks)			232	163	73	5
6. Trading account securities			None			6
7. Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell		2	000	000	00	7
8. Other loans		15	815	512	60	8
9. Bank premises, furniture and fixtures, and other assets representing bank premises			663	785	96	9
10. Real estate owned other than bank premises			None			10
11. Investments in subsidiaries not consolidated			None			11
12. Customer's liability to this bank on acceptances outstanding			None			12
13. Other assets			359	584	78	13
14. TOTAL ASSETS		36	014	709	07	14
LIABILITIES						
15. Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations		12	928	381	09	15
16. Time and savings deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations		15	842	653	20	16
17. Deposits of United States Government			349	776	87	17
18. Deposits of States and political subdivisions		1	703	089	27	18
19. Deposits of foreign governments and official institutions			None			19
20. Deposits of commercial banks			699	143	36	20
21. Certified and officers' checks, etc.			916	245	32	21
22. TOTAL DEPOSITS	$ 32,439,289.11	xxx	xxx	xxx	xx	22
(a) Total demand deposits	$ 15,485,954.90	xxx	xxx	xxx	xx	(a)
(b) Total time and savings deposits	$ 16,953,334.21	xxx	xxx	xxx	xx	(b)
23. Federal funds purchased and securities sold under agreements to repurchase			None			23
24. Other liabilities for borrowed money			None			24
25. Mortgage indebtedness			None			25
26. Acceptances executed by or for account of this bank and outstanding			None			26
27. Other liabilities			927	953	69	27
28. TOTAL LIABILITIES		33	367	242	80	28
29. MINORITY INTEREST IN CONSOLIDATED SUBSIDIARIES			None			29
RESERVES ON LOANS AND SECURITIES						
30. Reserve for bad debt losses on loans (set up pursuant to Internal Revenue Service rulings)			257	213	43	30
31. Other reserves on loans			None			31
32. Reserves on securities			None			32
33. TOTAL RESERVES ON LOANS AND SECURITIES			257	213	43	33
CAPITAL ACCOUNTS						
34. Capital notes and debentures (specify interest rate and maturity of each issue outstanding)			None			34
35. Equity capital, total		2	390	252	84	35
36. Preferred stock-total par value (No. shares outstanding)			None			36
37. Common stock-total par value (No. shares authorized 40,000) (No. shares outstanding 40,000)		1	000	000	00	37
38. Surplus			600	000	00	38
39. Undivided profits			490	252	84	39
40. Reserve for contingencies and other capital reserves			300	000	00	40
41. TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS		2	390	252	84	41
42. TOTAL LIABILITIES, RESERVES, AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS		36	014	709	07	42
MEMORANDA						
1. Average of total deposits for the 15 calendar days ending with call date		29	391	149	05	1
2. Average of total loans for the 15 calendar days ending with call date		15	645	025	22	2
3. Unearned discount on instalment loans included in total capital accounts			None			3

I, Doyle W. Horne, Vice President, of the above-named bank, do solemnly {SWEAR / AFFIRM} that this report of condition is true and correct, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Correct—Attest: Doyle W. Horne

Directors.

(MAKE MARK FOR NOTARY'S SEAL)

State of Missouri, County of Scott, ss:

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 9th day of January, 1973, and I hereby certify that I am not an officer or director of this bank.

My commission expires May 24, 1974 Pamela Kaye Smith, Notary Public.

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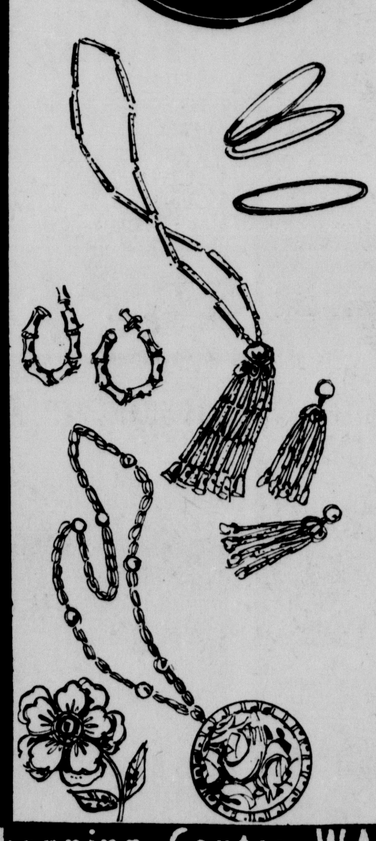

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Victim of 'Geographic Tongue'

Dear Dr. Lamb—I am 38 years old, and in excellent health. My problem is my tongue, which looks like it has been scalded in hot coffee. The sores move to different locations, and the tongue cracks. This condition has lasted two years. When it gets so bad I feel I can hardly stand it, by morning it can nearly heal.

After getting a dental checkup a year ago, the dentist suggested I see a doctor fast. I did, more than one, and they didn't know what it was. Nevertheless, they sent me a bill.

At last I was referred to an ear, nose and throat doctor and he stated it was geographic tongue. He says there is no cure, but it is hereditary and he gave me a mouthwash with some healing ingredient which didn't taste nice and did no good.

I do not have any problems and am not under any stress. All my tests are fine. I even tried vitamins. If you can tell me anything or recommend anything I would certainly appreciate it very much. This is not a life and death matter, but it is an irritating problem.

Dear Reader—You have given a good description of the geographic tongue, particularly in saying that it can disappear almost overnight. Some of the taste buds on the tongue enlarge and others decrease in size, causing a hill and valley effect which gives rise to the term, geographic tongue.

The reason your doctors haven't done anything more for you is because the condition isn't well understood in terms of defining any specific cause, and the treatment is even poorer. It is indeed fortunate that this problem isn't a serious medical disorder, considering how little we really know about it. Mouthwashes are sometimes tried in the hopes of eradicating any non-specific infectious agent, and usually they don't accomplish very much. Vitamins are sometimes tried because similar disorders related to vitamin deficiencies are sometimes observed. The most likely ones would be the vitamin B complex group, and you might be well advised to take a daily vitamin B complex tablet or capsule, but don't expect too much.

In addition to that you would be well advised to avoid the use of coffee, alcohol, tobacco, spices and hot irritating drinks.

It seems to me that perhaps the most important thing that needs to be done has already been accomplished in your case, namely, making certain that you realize what you have is not "a life and death matter" and is not a serious health problem.

The tongue is often a good indicator of health. When the doctor asks a patient to "stick out your tongue" he can learn a great deal. The cigarette smoker and coffee drinker usually have a stained tongue. The vitamin popper may have a red stain from the food-coloring dye in some vitamin capsules. A number of vitamin deficiencies can alter the appearance of the tongue. Pernicious anemia causes the tongue to be pale and smooth with characteristic changes. A furred tongue may be seen in digestive upsets or in mouth breathers (then the problem is finding out why the person breathes through the mouth). Ulcers of the tongue caused by various diseases are important.

(NEWSPAPER ENTERPRISE ASSN.)

Send your questions to Dr. Lamb, in care of this newspaper, P.O. Box 1551, Radio City Station, New York, N.Y. 10019. For a copy of Dr. Lamb's booklet on cholesterol, send 50 cents to the same address and ask for "Cholesterol" booklet.

BARBS

By PHIL PASTORET

One nice thing about the presidential budget upcoming: It'll make our underestimates look like small potatoes.

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How come there are so few civil servants when there are so many government-type employes?

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The local beanery is serving what may be the first plastic salad.

* * *

Freedom of the press is what the drip-dry fabrics have.

Q—What American discovered the planet Pluto?

A—Clyde W. Tombaugh, in 1930.

Q—How often does the cork tree yield cork?

A—Its bark can be stripped about once every decade. Cork trees live as long as 400 years.

Q—Has any U.S. president been an only child?

A—No.

Q—What is ornithophobia?

A—Fear of birds in general.

Q—What present state of the Union was sold for $6,000?

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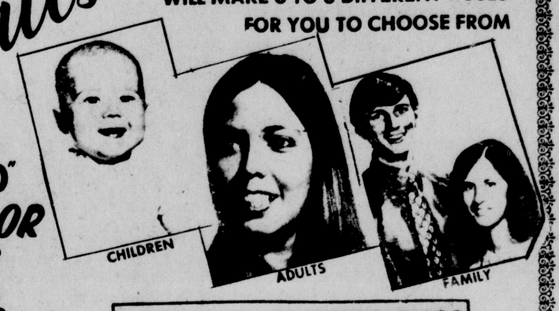

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Swindell reports

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He will receive training in the Navy's electrical specialties.

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by Anne Adams

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Smoke column

High spray

Fireman at work

Assistant Fire Chief Jim Terrell directs water onto the burning building.

Something saved

Fireman Vernon Morris prepares to operate the winch on the back of a wrecker and pull a camper away from the burning building.

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The try that failed

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For Rent — 2 bedroom house at 415 N. 5th Lilbourn. Bedrooms & Living room carpeted. 688-2263

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10. Furnished Houses

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Small furnished house in Miner $65 per month including utilities. Call 471-0299

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11. Misc. For Rent

For Rent, Mobile Home. Call 471-3450

For Rent — Like new 2 bedroom mobile home. $125 Mo. including utilities. Adults only. 471-0299

For Rent — Mobile Home in Bertrand 683-6224

For Rent — 12x60 trailer 3 bedrooms, central heat and air conditioning, dishwasher. 471-5425 after 5:00 p.m. Call 471-9210

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WANT ADS

The Daily Standard, Sikeston, Mo.
Thursday, January 11, 1973

1—Empire Gas heater, 70,000 BTU
1—Firestone Lawn mower.
Call Crown Finance
471-1807

6 Family garage sale. 2½ miles south of Morehouse in Community Center. Friday & Saturday.

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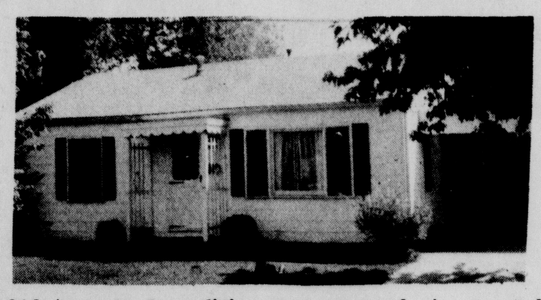

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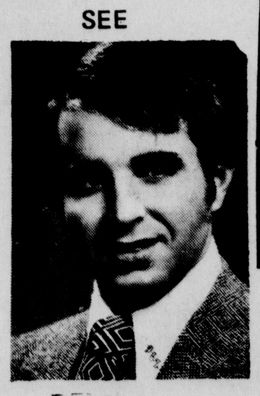
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Training school head suspended

BOONVILLE, Mo. (AP) — Walter Scott DeClue, superintendent of the Missouri Training School for Boys the past 13 years, was suspended Wednesday by the state Board of Training Schools.

Jack Bell, acting superintendent since Jan. 2, was named interim superintendent. He came to the Boonville school from his job as supervisor of the Poplar Bluff Youth Center.

DeClue was not present at the meeting although board chairman James Conway advised him Jan. 5 that his presence was imperative.

"He told me he was very tired and very ill," Conway said, "and his condition did not permit him to appear but he would come if he could."

Charges by the board that led to DeClue's suspension were read at the open meeting. They included:

Lack of commitment to the Positive Peer Culture (PPC) program being instituted at the school, including a report on the program filed last month by DeClue that contained statistics alleged to be inaccurate;

Misleading press reports;

Failure to work with cottage committees;

Failure to implement legislative recommendations;

Little or no use of the Citizens Committee;

State to be by-passed

In 2 education programs

WASHINGTON (AP) — Two state-administered federal education programs in Missouri will be taken over by the federal government and others in the state may be examined if public and non-public school students are being treated equitably, according to an administration spokesman.

Contracts are being negotiated to invoke the first Title III by-pass in Jennings and Jefferson City, Mo., Sidney P. Marland, assistant education secretary in the Health, Education and Welfare Department, said Wednesday.

"It is possible that some 20 additional Title III projects throughout Missouri will be examined to determine whether or not equitable services are being provided to both public and nonpublic children," Marland said.

"By law and tradition and disposition, Missouri is far and away the most stringent state in the country in prohibiting public assistance for non-public schools," he said.

Title III of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act provided some $146.4 million last year for supplementary centers and services, guidance counseling and testing. Missouri's share was $3.1 million. The national program serves about 5.3 million non-public school students.

The "by-pass" provision in the law authorizes the federal education commissioner to provide services directly to nonpublic school children who are being denied equitable participation.

Marland made his announcement to about 100 big city school administrators gathered here to discuss the problem.

Others states "have in general found ways to provide equitable services to non-public schools," he said, but Missouri has ruled out shared-time and the loan of public teachers to provide limited remedial services in non-public schools, even with full federal reimbursement.

The state provides services to public pupils during the day in their classrooms, but to nonpublic children only after school and on weekends, outside classrooms, he said.

The government has bypassed Oklahoma and Nebraska in the administration of Title II funds for books and other learning materials.

Marland said the government is supporting a group of parents of non-public students in their lawsuit against Missouri. The parents are seeking more than after-hours services and equipment under the Title I compensatory education program, Marland said.

"We believe that it is not only equal dollars that count—quantity—but also the effectiveness of the programs themselves—quality," he said.

President can withold spending, appeals panel told

ST. LOUIS (AP) — A federal government attorney told a three- judge appeals court panel today that the president is not obligated by law to spend money appropriated by Congress and that if such spending is to be mandatory Congress must pass a law to that effect.

The arguments came before the 8th U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals as the U.S. Transportation Department appealed a decision of a lower court in Kansas City which said the Missouri State Highway Commission was entitled to $89 million appropriated by Congress for highway construction.

The appeal, brought by Transportation Secretary John Volpe, contended the Federal Highway Act does not make it mandatory that the president spend all the money appropriated by Congress.

President Nixon has said he intends to hold federal spending at $250 billion, and aides say this may require impounding as much as $10 billion in funds already approved by Congress.

A group of 18 Democratic senators who are also committee chairmen filed a friend- of- the- court brief in the case stating the position that "the powers of the executive branch have become dominant in the operation of the governmental structure."

Alen B. Morrison, an attorney for the Public Citizens, Inc., a Ralph Nader group, argued against the impounding action by the executive branch before the appeals court.

He said, "Congress does not have to put 'Thou shalt spend' language into its laws."

The attorney for the government, William Appler, said Congress has tried in the past but failed to make the spending of appropriated funds mandatory.

He said the president's power to withhold spending of funds is based on a 1967 opinion by then Atty. Gen. Ramsey Clark and was for the good of the nation in that it was used to combat inflation.

What's the law?

The case of the tickled inmate

By Jack Strauss, LL.B.

Norton ran afoul of the law and was sentenced to a jail term of not less than six months nor more than five years. And while he found the sentence a bit disconcerting, the real rub came when he developed a very uncomfortable rash.

Examining his circumstances, Norton quickly concluded that his itch was due to his niche; that the rash was caused by a psychological aversion to his being in jail. To support this conclusion, Norton pointed to the fact that the prison doctors had been unable to cure his condition for a continuous period of 16 very itchy months. Consequently, he filed an application for his immediate parole.

"Since the doctors haven't been able to relieve my skin condition," he argues, "and since I've already served by minimum sentence, I should be released.

"Nothing doing," was the warden's answer. "Parole is based upon a prisoner's conduct and not his physical condition. Because a prisoner may itch is no reason to let him start from scratch any earlier."

Intent upon gaining his release, Norton took the matter to court.

IF YOU WERE THE JUDGE, would you order the tickled prisoner paroled?

This is how the judge ruled: NO! The judge held that a prisoner is not entitled to be paroled just because he has served his minimum sentence, nor is he entitled to be released because of a physical ailment for which he is receiving treatment. "If sickness of a prisoner could compel his discharge," concluded the judge, "which it does not, we could anticipate a veritable rash of petitions."

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LOOKING BACK

Frisco agent takes duties in Chaffee

50 years ago
January 11, 1923

The local troop of Girl Scouts took a hike to Fairview School, Saturday. They were accompanied by Misses Effie Sellards, Mable Barnett and Mrs. A.E. Patton.

Morehouse-- Miss Hazel Carr spent the weekend at Essex.

Blodgett-- Steve Peal spent the weekend with his parents here.

Kelso-- Louis A. Burger of near this place, had business in Oran Tuesday.

40 years ago
January 11, 1933

Blodgett-- R.H. Mackley had business in Cape Girardeau Monday.

Canalou-- Misses Pearl and Eula Shrum, who had been visiting relatives and friends in Senath during the past week, returned home Sunday. They were accompanied home by Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Perish and Miss Pauline Ridge and Eddie McGee.

Morehouse-- Mrs. I.H. Dunaway visited with friends in Sikeston Wednesday.

New Madrid-- The Farm Bureau Agent and his wife spent the New Year holidays in Kevil, Ky., visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H.L. Nance.

30 years ago
January 11, 1943

Sikeston General Hospital.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. H.C. Bennett of Bertrand Tuesday.

A daughter was born Thursday to Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hipes.

Mrs. Elizabeth Garber, a former member of the State Board of Health, who resigned in 1940, has been reinstated and now is serving Butler, Stoddard and Mississippi counties as public health nurse with headquarters in Sikeston. Her home is in Cape Girardeau. She replaces Miss Lillian McDonald, who has accepted a nursing position on an Indian reservation at Holdenville, Okla.

O.N. Watts, Sikeston station agent for the Frisco railway since 1935, last Monday assumed new duties as a dispatcher for the line at Chaffee. He had since September 29 been employed in a temporary capacity as dispatcher there. Mr. and Mrs. Watts, who have lived in Sikeston at 225 Ruth street, plan to move to Chaffee, a former place of residence, in March there. J.A. Shain, the regular operator at the station is serving as acting station agent until a permanent appointment is made.

Mrs. Dora Rudy, 76- year-old mother of Mrs. R.D. Clayton, died in Southeast Missouri Hospital, Cape Girardeau, where she had been a patient for a month.

20 years ago
January 11, 1953

Mrs. H.M. Hutchings is leaving today to join her husband in Paris, France for a 10- month stay. Mr. Hutchins is stationed in Paris with the Medical Corps of the 28th General Hospital, which is a large American Hospital now being erected.

Marva Lee Waldron, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Waldron, celebrated her 14th birthday with a party at her home Wednesday.

James G. Lock, 70, died this morning at his home, 325 Smith street.

Funeral services for Letcher Thomas Burgess, 60, of Hammond, Ind., will be held Wednesday. He died Saturday at his home in Hammond.

Mrs. Mary L. Lathom announces the engagement of her daughter, Miss Margaret Ann, to Walter E. Bizzell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bizzell.

Mr. and Mrs. W.D. Boon of Portageville are parents of a baby girl born yesterday at the Delta Community Hospital.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Henry O. Smith of Sikeston yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Baldwin and son, Hutchie, left recently to make their home in Houston, Tex., where he is associated in the plumbing business with his brother.

Sgt. Sam F. Cook, whose wife, Barbara, and father live on Route 2, Portageville, is serving in Korea with the Seventh Infantry Division.

Funeral services were held today for George Johnson, 70, of near Essex. Among the survivors is a daughter, Mrs. Pearl Freeman of Sikeston.

East Prairie-- George Washington Stokes, 71, died this morning at the home of a daughter Mrs. Ovella Scott, of near East Prairie.

Prayer for today

from the Upper Room

Behold, I will do a new thing. (Isaiah 43:19)

PRAYER: Help me to see, Father, that You want to do a new thing in my life. Bring to me, through the Holy Spirit, springtime freshness of new life, new hope, new forgiveness, new faith. Forgive the wasted hours and bless what I have sought to do well for You. Make this day the time of new beginnings. Through Christ. Amen.

Cousteau explores undersea desert

NEW YORK (AP) — The Battle of the Coral Sea took place in May 1942. It was an historic naval clash that began the end of Japanese military expansion in the Pacific during World War II.

Jacques Cousteau recently has been exploring the area and looking at a modern-day battlefield — located on the ocean floor and littered with the slowly killing refuse of strip-mining.

He's filmed it for the 22nd of his famed undersea specials for the ABC Television network. The show is called "500 Million Years Beneath the Sea" and will be broadcast tonight at 8 p.m. EST.

As usual, the photography is excellent; however, the over-all thrust of the show seems spread too thin and isn't quite up to Cousteau's earlier efforts.

No matter. Sub par for the 62-year-old undersea explorer and ecologist would be considered first-rate for anyone else.

On this outing, Cousteau and his crew go to the waters just off French-held New Caledonia, a tropical island rich in mineral deposits, particularly nickel.

Sections of the island have been strip-mined for years, with the refuse of both mining and refining dumped into one area of a lagoon near the island capital of Noumea.

What effect has this had on the undersea life? Cousteau provides no encompassing answer, but he takes the viewer underwater for a look. And the sight isn't a pretty one at all.

There only are a few creatures visibile in what Cousteau calls the "undersea desert" created by man's carelessness. What life exists gradually has burrowed beneath the sediment to survive.

At night, there are a few signs that something has survived — among them brown and white creatures Cousteau calls sea mice.

And, as he puts it, they "move across the mud flats like a battalion of tanks, ravaging everything in their path — the dead, the dying and the contaminated."

He travels on, to a coral reef, where he finds "the corpses of sponges, plants, corals. Fettered to the ocean floor, unable to flee, they lie suffocated and buried."

The program isn't all doom and disaster. The farther he goes from New Caledonia, the more evidence he finds that underseas life will go on if man only gives it a chance.

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"Know what, Mommy? You should've given me a bigger glass."

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SIDE GLANCES by Gill Fox

"How do you explain to a four-year-old that Howard K. Smith isn't just a talking head?"

CARNIVAL by Dick Turner

"For an hour I meditated on the Universal Soul . . ."

". . . now I'm meditating on how to uncross my legs!"

STAR GAZER

By CLAY R. POLLAN

Your Daily Activity Guide According to the Stars.

To develop message for Friday, read words corresponding to numbers of your Zodiac birth sign.

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8 Utilize	38 Another	68 Individuals	
9 Follow	39 Try	69 That's	
10 Take	40 A	70 Exercise	
11 Your	41 Blocked	71 Disapproved	
12 Changes	42 Ideas	72 But	
13 Plans	43 Good	73 Noticed	
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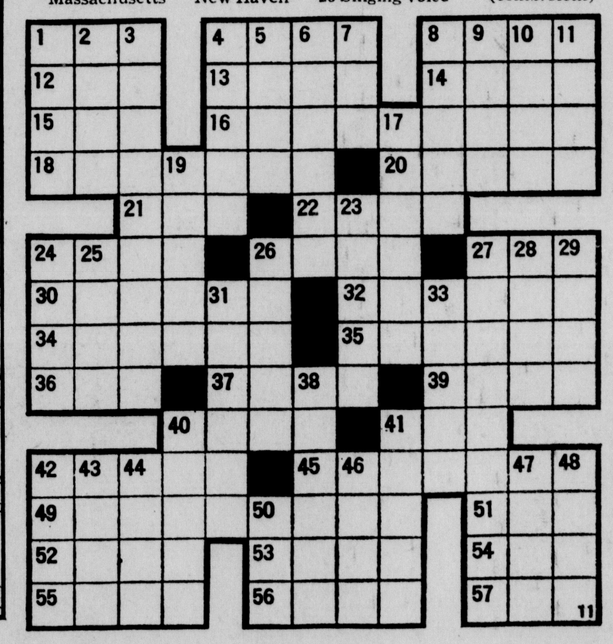

Today In History

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Today is Thursday, Jan. 11, the 11th day of 1973. There are 354 days left in the year.

Today's highlight in history:

On this date in 1943, during World War II, the United States and Britain relinquished extra- territorial rights in China;

On this date:

In 1569, the first lottery in England was drawn in St. Paul's Cathedral under the patronage of Queen Elizabeth I.

In 1757, the first secretary of the U.S. Treasury, Alexander Hamilton, was born on Nevis Island in the West Indies.

In 1788, a band of colonists set out for Ohio from Hartford, Conn.

In 1861, Alabama seceded from the Union.

In 1945, a truce was declared in the Greek civil war.

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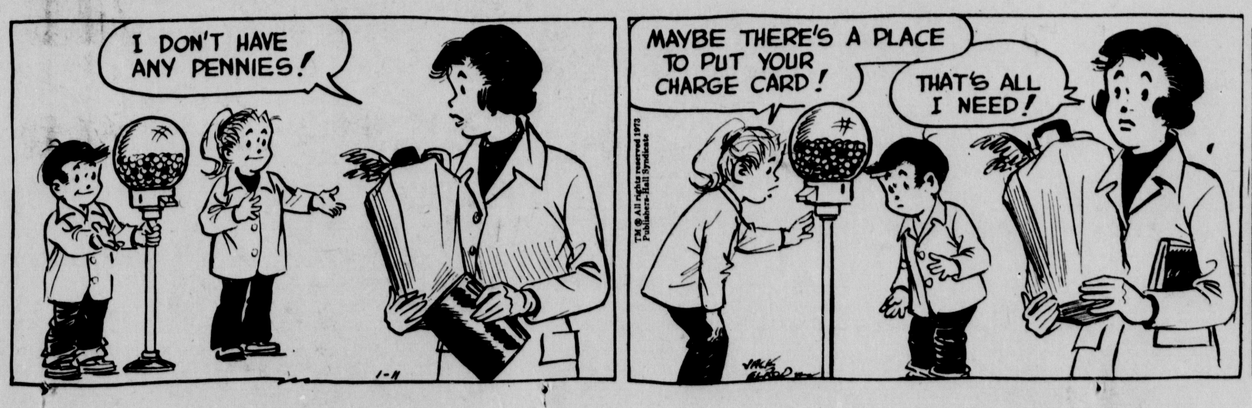

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Deaths

GEORGE F. SCHANTZ

DEXTER— George F. Schantz, 79, died Wednesday in Dexter Memorial Hospital.

He was born Oct. 19, 1893 in St. Louis and was a member of First Christian Church.

Surviving are his widow, Ruth Schantz of the home; one son, LeRoy Schantz of Springfield; two stepsons, Ellis Eldred of Kansas City and David Eldred of Columbus, Miss.; one daughter, Mrs. Gladys Carroll of Columbia; two sisters, Mrs. Louise Gerdt of St. Louis and Mrs. Anna Gibbs of Pontiac, Mich;, and nine grandchildren and nine great- grandchildren.

Services are scheduled at 2 p.m. Friday in Rainey Funeral Home with the Revs. Stanley Land and Kenneth Gaines officiating.

Burial will be in Dexter Cemetery.

EDWARD HUFFMAN

FLINT, Mich. — Edward F. Huffman, 56, a former resident of Sikeston, Mo., died Wednesday in St. Joseph Hospital.

He was born March 4, 1916 in Oregon County, Mo., and was an Army veteran of World War II. He served in the Army for 20 years.

Surviving are his widow, Lillie Huffman; one son, Donnie Ray Huffman of Flint; one daughter, Rose Marie Huffman of the home; four sisters, Mrs. Daisey Silliman of Eldon, Mo., Mrs. Mary Baker and Mrs. Esther Taylor of Sikeston and Mrs. Tinnie Madden of Thayer, Mo.; and three brothers, James (Pete) Huffman of Taylor, Mo., Willie M. Huffman of Poplar Bluff and Paul Huffman of Rohnert Park, Calif.

The body is being moved to Nunnelee Funeral Home in Sikeston where arrangements are incomplete.

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today that the fire either broke out in the laundry room or in the wiring above a stove in the front basement apartment; firemen had previously extinguished a blaze caused by the stove wiring.

Residents of the burned apartment building included Mrs. Sula Clark and her son Glen; Windeff Lume; Linda Dalton; James Morrison; Ella Gordan; Judy Turner; Edward Stinnett, his wife Brenda and their son J.R.; Carol Hardin and her two children; Stan Kennedy; Jeane Heaton; and an unidentifed woman and her two children.

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The Schmiegs have two sons, Chris, 4, and Mark, one.

The Sikeston division group includes Sikeston, Charleston, East Prairie, Wyatt, New Madrid, Lilbourn, Marston and Portageville and Morehouse.

The Schmiegs plan to buy a home in Sikeston.

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operator's license, $10 and costs; Timothy Ivan Sigourney of Sikeston, speeding, $26; and David H. Linebaugh of Charleston, improper left turn, $15, and out of state operator's license, $5 plus $16 court costs.

Bryant Rodgers II of Charleston withdrew his plea of innocent and pleaded guilty to a charge of interfering with public property. He was given a 10-day suspended sentence and placed on six months probation. Rodgers was ordered to pay $18.25 costs.

Ricky Skelton of East Prairie pleaded not guilty to common assault and trial was set for Jan. 25.

A charge of non-support against Robert Morrison of St. Louis was dismissed. Also dismissed at $8.50 costs were charges of adultery and gross lewdness against Clarence Emery and Virginia Mansfield.

Cases continued to Jan. 18 were William A. Mannon of Matthews, driving while operator's license was revoked; John Wayne Davis of East Prairie, speeding; Timothy Doyle Childers of Wolf Island, defective brakes and Jerry W. Warren of East Prairie, speeding.

Math club to offer $150 scholarship

Sikeston High School Mathematics Club met Wednesday afternoon and conducted regular business.

Math Club president Mark Shaw announced that the club will sponsor an SHS chess tournament which will start Feb. 1. The entry deadline is Jan. 26 and fee is 50 cents for each participant. The entry fee will go toward purchase of trophies for tournament winners.

The club discussed and approved establishment of a Math Club scholarship. The $150 scholarship will go to some needy college- bound senior.

The club also approved a fund to financially assist students attending a summer computer workshop.

Plans were launched for the club to take a field trip to St. Louis this spring to a large computer center and other points of interest.

Sponsors for the organization are Asa Kinnaman, Gary Williams and Terry Coleman.

Q—What are the recording industry's annual awards called?

A—Grammies.

Q—For whom is Saint Dismas the patron saint?

A —Condemned criminals. St. Dismas was the penitent thief.

Cleaves gets 2 year term

CHARLESTON — A two-year prison term given Clyde Edward Cleaves of Charleston on a stealing charge in December was stayed Wednesday by Circuit Court Judge Marshall Craig.

Cleaves was placed on two years probation on condition he obey the law, pay court costs, make restitution of $10 and abide by the rules and regulations of his probation officer. Cleaves entered a voluntary plea of guilty to stealing four batteries on Sept. 20 from Simmons Equipment Co. in Charleston.

Thomas Patrick and Ronnie Eugene Graham were each fined $50 and costs after pleading guilty to charges of possessing intoxicating beer.

In a change of venue case from New Madrid County three charges of burglary and stealing against Bobby Miller were dismissed ad costs certified to the state.

A suit to set aside a deed and damages brought by Marshall Reeves and Iris J. Reeves against Agnew Associates, Inc. and J. D. Meller was dismissed without prejudice against Meller. Costs were charged to the plaintiff.

Billie Davis Munson was granted a divorce and custody of one child from James Frank Munson. Munson was granted visitation rights and ordered to pay $25 a week child support and $300 attorney fees.

Linda Lou Woodward received a divorce and custody of one child from Claude Woodward.

A divorce and custody of one child was awarded Mary Janet Jones from Tommy Wayne Jones. Mrs. Jones is to receive $15 a week child support from Jones, who was granted visitation rights.

House fire kills mother and child

FREDERICKTOWN, Mo. (AP) — A woman and one of her children were killed early Wednesday in a fire that destroyed the family's small frame home 12 miles east of this southeast Missouri community, the highway patrol said.

The patrol identified the victims as Mary Ruth Henson, 31, and her son, Jimmy, 4.

The patrol said the blaze was believed to have been caused by an explosion in a stove as Mrs. Henson's husband, Marion, 50, attempted to build a fire .. Henson and a second child, Tony, 9, were taken to a St. Louis hospital with injuries. A third child, Dale, 12, was reported unhurt.

Jones named Scott county deputy sheriff

BENTON — Vernon L. (Bud) Jones, 36, of Charleston has been appointed a Scott County deputy by Sheriff, John Dennis, effective next Monday.

Jones will replace Tommy Dover, who resigned this week to join the Sikeston Police Department. Jones has served with the Missouri State Water Patrol for the last four years and has had extensive police training, Dennis said.

Jones will move to Sikeston.

Q—What phrase from a foreign language denotes a function held in the open air?

A—Al fresco, from the Italian.

Cape man fire death

CAPE GIRARDEAU — Floyd L. Hefner, 60, died Wednesday in a fire that started in an upstairs apartment at 631 Broadway.

Hefner was found dead inside a back door of the apartment when firemen arrived at about 4:40 a.m. He was apparently trying to escape.

Cape Girardeau County Coroner George F. Rouse ruled death was caused by suffocation. He said no inquest will be held.

The building housed the Missouri Division of Veteran's Affairs office and Ed's Barber Shop, a one-chair operation owned by Edgar H. Seabaugh.

Both businesses, located on the ground floor, received heavy smoke and water damage.

Though firemen are not sure of the cause, they speculated a fire in a five-gallon lard can that Hefner had lit to keep warm may have been to blame.

10 treated

Ten accident patients were treated Wednesday in the emergency room of Missouri Delta Community Hospital.

Melvin Taber, 27, Sikeston, cut left hand at work; William Mace, 17, New Madrid, bruised left elbow in fall on ice; Angela Bixler, 3, New Madrid, caught right thumb in car door, fracturing thumb; Gary Brown, 17, East Prairie, dislocated left knee playing basketball; Scott Kellett, 4, Sikeston, cut forehead in fall at home.

Gaither Daugherty, 50, Sikeston, fractured left elbow in fall on ice; Paul St. Onge, 7, Sikeston, stepped on toothpick puncturing left foot; James Deberry, 61, Sikeston, received second degree burns of right arm with hot water; Glen Perry, 41, Charleston, combine seat fell on chest fracturing ribs; and Harold Lewis, 69, Miner, fractured jaw in fall.

Grain Market

CHICAGO (AP) — New crop soybean futures prices fell the limit of 10 cents on the Chicago Board of Trade today. Wheat was 6¼ cents.

On the opening, soybeans were 1¾ to 10 cents a bushel lower, January 4.35; wheat was 1⅞ to 6¼ lower, March 2.71½; corn was 1 to 3 lower; March 1.60 and oats were ⅞ to 2¼ lower, March 95¾ cents.

River Stages

Mississippi River

	Flood	Now	Ch.
Chester	27	15.7	—3.4
Cape Girardeau	32	24.8	—2.0
Cairo	40	42.3	—1.0
New Madrid	34	32.8	—.6
Caruthersville	32	32.2	—.4

Forecast

At Chester the river will fall 2.5 Friday; fall 1.0 Saturday; and fall .4 Sunday.

At Cape Girardeau the river will fall 3.3 Friday; fall 2.1 Saturday; and fall 1.1 Sunday.

At Cairo the river will fall 1.7 Friday; fall 1.9 Saturday; and fall 2.1 Sunday.

At New Madrid the river will fall 1.2 Friday; fall 1.5 Saturday; and fall 1.8 Sunday.

At Caruthersville no forecast was available.

Ohio River

	Flood	Now	Ch.
Golconda	40	32.1	—.6
Paducah	39	34.3	—.8
Grand Chain	42	32.8	—1.0

Forecast

At Golconda the river will fall .8 Friday; fall 1.7 Saturday; and fall 2.0 Sunday.

At Paducah the river will fall 1.6 Friday; fall 1.7 Saturday; and fall 1.6 Sunday.

At Grand Chain no forecast was available.

Livestock Market

NATIONAL STOCKYARDS, Ill. (AP) — Estimated receipts for Friday: 4,000 hogs, 200 cattle and 50 sheep.

Hogs 5,500; butchers 50 lower and sows steady to 50 lower. 125 head No. 1, 215 lb butchers 34.25. U.S. 1-2, 200-230 lbs 33.7534.00; 1-3, 200-230 lbs 33.5033.75; 230-260 lbs 32.50-33.50. U.S. 1-3, 300-350 lb sows 26.5027.50; 350-500 lbs 26.00-26.50; 500-600 lbs 25.75. Boars 25.7526.00.

Cattle 2,000; not enough slaughter steers or heifers for test. Cows and bulls steady.

Slaughter steers; small lot choice 950 lbs yield grade 2-4, 39.50.

Slaughter heifers: few choice 800-900 lbs yield grade 2-4, 38.50-38.75.

Cows: utility and commercial 25.50-27.50; high dressing utility 28.00; cutter 23.00-25.50; canner 20.50-23.00.

Bulls: utility, commercial and good 31.00-33.50.

Vealers: choice 48.00-50.00; good 44.00-48.00.

Q—What is the ancient historical distinction of Mt. Moriah in Jerusalem?

A—It was the site of Solomon's Temple.

Local Stock

	BID	ASK
1st Nat Bk of Sik	4½	5¼
Anheuser Busch	54½	55¼
Frontier Tower	1½	2
Olson Bros	3¼	3¾
Martha Manning	3	3½
ICH Corp	7½	8
Pabst Brewing	67¼	67¾
Downtowner	3½	4
Wetterau	28½	29½
LISTED STOCKS		
Allied Stores		37¼
American Tel & Tel		54¼
American Motors		8
Calvert Exp		4
Chrysler		42¼
Columbia Gas		32¼
Eaton Mfg		39¾
Ford Motors		79½
Interstate Brands		13¼
Malone & Hyde		34¾
Md South Util		26¾
New England Elect		26½
J. C. Penney		96¾
WalMart		32½
Stelber Ind		10¾

EDITORS NOTE: The bid price is the approximate price if one were a seller and the asked price is the approximate price if one were a buyer. Quotations furnished by Hugh T. McCollum, Registered Representative for Rowland and Co. 1405 East Malone Phone 471-5350.

Five Most Active

Dow Jones Industrial Averages at noon were up 1.05 on a volume of 6.80 million shares.

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AT&T	54 7/8	+3/4
Tex. Gulf	28 3/8	+1/2
Gulf Oil	27 1/8	-1/8
Exxon	98 1/4	UNC
Phillip Petrol.	45 1/8	+5/8
LISTED STOCKS		
Amer. Tele.	54	3/4
Anheuser Busch	54	1/4
Butler Natl	3	1/2
Champ Home Bldrs	12	1/2
Connrex	9	7/8
Cooper Tire	20	
Evans Prod	23	5/8
Feld Leasing	14	7/8
Ford	79	3/8
GAF Corp.	20	
Manchester Life rtMANL	12	1/2
Gen. Mtrs.	82	1/8
Interco	54	
Durotest	14	3/4
Keystone Indus.	6	3/8
Malone & Hyde	35	
Mid Am Gr Pl	1	
Noranda Mines	40	3/4
Texaco	39	3/8
Transamerica	16	7/8
Volume Shoe	23	
Wetterau Foods	29	1/4

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Weather Elsewhere

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	High	Low		
Albany	27	9		cdy
Albu'que	40	23	.03	clr
Amarillo	19	2	.03	clr
Anchorage	18	6		cdy
Asheville	33	20		sn
Atlanta	30	27		clr
Birmingham	31	26		sn
Bismarck	12	-2		cdy
Boise	32	28		sn
Boston	30	19		cdy
Buffalo	20	16	.27	sn
Charleston	M	M	.17	rn
Charlotte	32	19		sn
Chicago	20	10		clr
Cincinnati	24	11		cdy
Cleveland	19	14		sn
Denver	25	7		clr
Des Moines	13	4		clr
Detroit	22	13		cdy
Duluth	5	-10	.02	cdy
Fort Worth	29	23	.20	cdy
Green Bay	16	1		clr
Helena	-6	-18		cdy
Honolulu	79	64		clr
Houston	34	31	.17	clr
Ind'apolis	22	11		cdy
Jacks'ville	40	37	1.08	rn
Kansas City	14	4		clr
Little Rock	28	21		cdy
Los Angeles	67	48		cdy
Louisville	25	16		clr
Marquette	12	4	.01	sn
Memphis	25	16		cdy
Miami	77	68	.05	rn
Milwaukee	17	6		clr
Mpls-St.P.	14	0		cdy
New Orleans	37	36	.10	rn
New York	31	21		clr
Okla. City	16	14		cdy
Omaha	17	5		clr

2 arrested

Police today announced two arrests.

Gary Ronald Darnall, 249 W. Kathleen, was charged with obstructing traffic, improper registration, no city sticker and no Missouri drivers license. Allen C. Durbin, 505 Clayton, was arrested for not having a city sticker.

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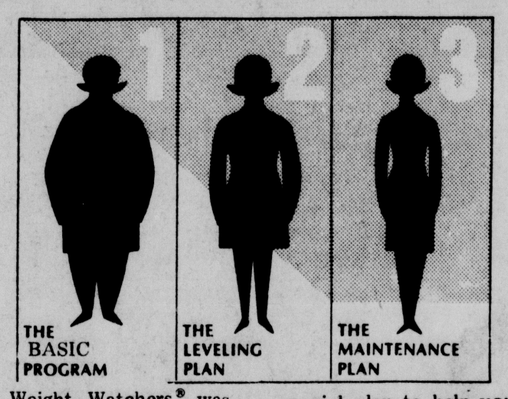

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THURSDAY, 7:30 P.M., Jan. 25th

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MONDAY, 7:30 P.M., Jan. 15th
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KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS
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TUESDAY, 7:30 P.M., Jan. 16th
TUESDAY, 7:30 P.M., Jan. 23rd

PORTAGEVILLE
BILLY FISHER'S STEAK HOUSE
Highway 61 North (Use side door)
TUESDAY, 7:30 P.M., Jan. 16th
TUESDAY, 7:30 P.M., Jan. 23rd

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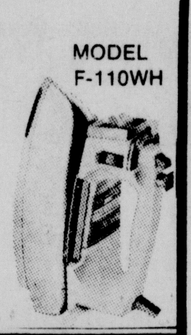

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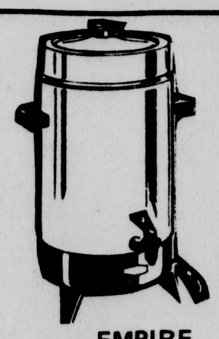

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Farmers work nights

Southeast Missouri farmers are taking advantage of the freezing weather to salvage crops stranded in the fields by heavy fall rains which had slowed harvesting to a near standstill until sub-freezing temperatures arrived. Workmen are shown making repairs on machinery at the John Wescoat farm between Catron and Lilbourn Tuesday night. Warming up at a fire are, from left, Jerry Cobb and Chester Richards while Wescoat and Willard Halderman adjust the header on a combine. Farmers have been working late into the night to salvage what is left of their crops. (Daily Standard Photos)

Hunt pleads guilty to all six charges

WASHINGTON (AP) — Watergate defendant E. Howard Hunt Jr., pleaded guilty today to all of the charges against him and said the prosecution's claim of a wide-scale political espionage operation ordered by top officials of President Nixon's re-election campaign was essentially correct.

U.S. District Court Judge John J. Sirica, who earlier had refused to accept a guilty plea to a reduced number of charges, accepted the second plea covering all six counts of conspiracy, burglary, bugging and wiretapping against Hunt in connection with last summer's break-in at the Democratic Party's national headquarters here.

In refusing to accept the first plea, Sirica said the government had a strong case on all six counts and that the interest of justice demanded that they all be prosecuted.

Sirica accepted the second plea after Hunt admitted guilty to all of the counts.

This leaves six men, including a former White House consultant and another man who held positions at the White House, the Treasury Department, and in the Nixon campaign, on trial in the Watergate case, which was a major issue in the 1972 presidential campaign.

Hunt, a former CIA agent, was also a former White House consultant for the Nixon administration.

Before the second guilty plea was accepted, Hunt said under questioning from the bench that the prosecution's opening statement outlining a broad operation of political espionage allegedly ordered by top members of President Nixon's reelection campaign was essentially correct.

After accepting the plea, Sirica immediately placed Hunt under $100,000 security bond and he was taken into custody by U.S. marshals while his attorneys tried to raise it.

After a recess the trial resumed without Hunt at the defense table, and testimony began with police photographer Coleman Alpert the first witness.

Sirica gave the jurors no explanation of Hunt's absence except to advise them that they were "no longer to be concerned with the case of the United States against E. Howard Hunt."

Earlier, Hunt had pleaded guilty to three of the six counts against him in the government's indictment, in an understanding with the prosecution that three other counts would be dropped.

However, Sirica refused to accept the first guilty plea, saying the interest of justice demanded that all six counts be pressed.

Flanked by his attorneys, Hunt stood stony-faced before the bench and answered, "Yes, your honor," or "No, your honor," to a series of questions aimed at determining whether the second plea was voluntary.

At the request of U.S Attorney Earl J. Silbert, Sirica added a question as to whether Hunt "accepts the essential accuracy of the facts" in Silbert's opening statement to the jury Wednesday.

"Yes, your honor," Hunt answered in barely audible tones.

Oliver trial Jan. 17

CHARLESTON-- A preliminary hearing for Christopher Oliver of Charleston, charged with first degree murder, was set for Jan. 17 this morning by Magistrate T.J. Brown Jr.

Oliver is accused of the shooting death of Wilbur F. Johnson of Tuckerman, Ark. on Jan. 6. Bond was set at $10,000.

A preliminary hearing scheduled for today for Rosemary Cooper of Wyatt, charged with assault with a dangerous and deadly weapon, was continued to Jan. 18. Miss Cooper is free on $1,500 bond.

Judge Brown set Jan. 17 at preliminary hearing date for Jerome Marshall of Charleston on two counts, exhibiting a dangerous and deadly weapon and resisting arrest.

Arthur F. Allen of Matthews was sentenced to six months in jail on a charge of driving under the influence of intoxicants and 10 days for having no driver's license. The sentences are to run concurrently.

A 30-day jail sentence was given Bruce Douglas Housman of Charleston on charges of driving while intoxicated and driving whle license were revoked. Costs in the case were certified to the county.

Bobby Joe Johnson of Charleston, charged with disturbing the peace, was ordered released from custody and placed on one-year probation on condition he obey the law and pay $30.50 court costs.

Three counts of felonious assault with a loaded shotgun against W. D. Jenkins were continued to Jan. 18. Jenkins, who is free on $2,000 bond, is accused of shooting at a car in which Lloyd Boshecher, David L. Owens and Vicki Tatum were sitting.

Other misdemeanor cases include Mack Walton Jr. of Sikeston, no Missouri PSC authority, $41; Relina Leon Hall of East Prairie, speeding, $36; Harry L. Burris of Cairo, Ill., driving while intoxicated, $124.50; Ricky Skelton of East Prairie, no

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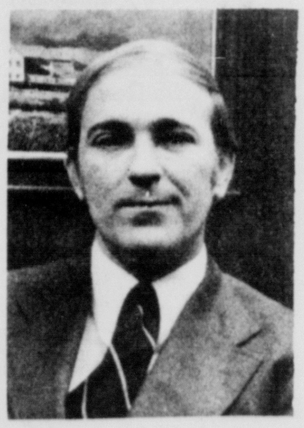

Burt Rowe Jr.

SIDC elects board members

Seven new members were elected to the board of directors of Sikeston Industrial Development Corporation Wednesday night at the SIDC annual meeting at the City Administration building.

Elected were Jesse Lacefield of J. C. Penney Department Store; Joe Cravens, former mayor; Galen Kruger of National Lock Co.; Robert Mitchell of Mitchell Insurance; Pat Lea of First National Bank; Don Agnew of Security National Bank; and Burt Rowe Jr. of Farmers Mutual Insurance Co of Sikeston.

The board will meet in special session at the Ramada Inn at noon, Jan. 18, to elect new officers.

Boy, 14, saves 3

Miner fireman, 70, breaks jaws in fall

Harold Lewis, the 70-year- old retired fire chief and former Mayor of Miner, underwent surgery last night at Missouri Delta Community Hospital after breaking his jaws at the Gilliland Apartments fire on School Street.

Lewis and the Miner Fire Department responded to the fire at the request of Sikeston Fire Chief Larry Linnemeyer.

Lewis broke his jaws at the corner of Kendall and School streets when he grabbed the hand hold of the Miner fire truck as it pulled away and tried to jump on the back. He missed, fell, and was dragged about 50 feet along the street.

Lewis refused to leave the scene of the fire and stayed to help as long as the Miner unit was needed; about two hours.

He underwent four hours of surgery last night. A hospital spokesman said today that Lewis spent a peaceful night following the operation.

Firemen today are crediting a 14- year- old boy with warning the tenants in the building and saving two babies and a woman.

Chief Linnemeyer said Bill Stokes warned tenants, then pulled two babies out of the building and helped a woman out.

The American Red Cross has stepped in to aid the victims by providing food, clothing, and shelter.

Mrs. Glenda Brock of Charleston, has opened an office at the Scott County Welfare Office, 312 E. Center to assist the families in need.

She said the office is accepting donations, preferably money. Each person is helped individually, she said. Many need enough money to pay for a weeks rent at another apartment, she said.

Linnemeyer said the department received the fire call about 9 a.m. perhaps 30 minutes after the fire had broken out in the basement. Residents had tried to call the fire department three times and couldn't get through, the Chief said. They were apparently dialing the wrong number, for when the operator dialed the department, firemen answered immediately.

When firemen arrived the fire had already gotten into the walls of the first and second floor.

Firemen were speculating

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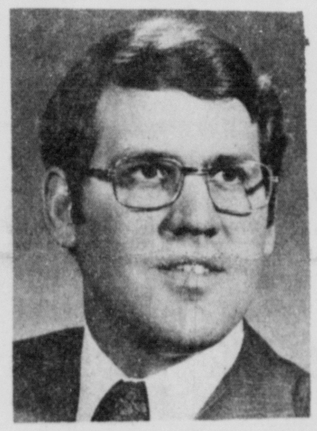
Schmieg is new Bell manager



David Schmieg of St. Louis has been named manager of South- western Bell Telephone Company's Sikeston division.

Schmieg replaces Mark Rudloff who has been promoted to the position of unit manager for the company's Kansas City downtown district.

The new manager is a graduate of Central Methodist College at Fayette with a degree in political science and economics. An honors graduate, he was president of Central Methodist's ODK honor society.

He also was active in the school's economics honor society, the Bega Sigma social fraternity and lettered in both baseball and basketball and was named to the NAIA all- star team in baseball.

Schmeig began his telephone career in 1971 in Kansas City as manager of the centralized mail remittance group. He also has held positions of manager of the Kansas City public office and unit manager before being promoted to the Sikeston manager's post.

The manager is a member of the Missouri National Guard and has received guard training at Fort Campbell, and Fort Sill, Okla.

The son of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Schmieg of St. Louis, he is married to the former Carolyn Cross of St. Louis.

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Pedestrian killed near Neelyville

NEELYVILLE-- A pedestrian, Denton Clifton Tanner, 41, of Corning, Ark., was killed sometime between 3 a.m. and 5:15 a.m. today when he was apparently struck by one or more vehicles one fourth mile north of the Arkansas state line on Highway 67.

Trooper Charles Sisk of the Missouri State Highway Patrol, who investigated, said more than one vehicle probably hit the body which was dismembered.

Butler County sheriff's department also investigated.

Donnie Mary Bush, 55, of Bragg City received a possible concussion in a two-car accident Wednesday at 12:10 p.m. one- half mile south of Highway 84 on Route NN when she attempted to pass a car driven by Lounette Hightower, 41, of Kennett, who was making a left turn into a private drive.

Mrs. Bush was taken to Presnell Hospital in Kennett.

Court may lower property taxes

BENTON — Scott County personal property taxes may be lowered for 1973, according to Eldon Ziegenhorn of Sikeston, second district associate judge who say the County Court is considering lowering the tax rate from 50 cents to 45 cents per $100 valuation.

Ziegenhorn said part of the $152,000 federal revenue-sharing money the county received will be added to the 1973 budget to permit the five-cent reduction.

Although an estimated budget will be submitted in February for approval, no definite decision will be made until July or August, Ziegenhorn stated.

The tax rate, now for $100 valuation is 35 cents for road tax, 10 cents for county health tax, two cents for Johnson grass tax, 10 cents for library tax and three cents for state tax.

Judge Ziegenhorn said the tax rate was 45 cents two years ago and a cutback should help the taxpayers. He also said Scott County is one of the few counties planning to revert to the 45-cent rate.

It's inside . . .

Citizens of Malden ask for a special election on city manager form of government. Turn to...page 9.

Two state- administered federal education programs in Missouri will be taken over by the federal government to see if public and non- public school students are treated equitably. Turn to...page 14.

Sixty communities in Missouri, Kansas, Iowa and Nebraska have been cut from their primary fuel and are runing low on alternate fuel. Turn to...page 3.

. . . and outside

Continued fair with gradually moderating temperatures tonight and Friday; low tonight 10 to 15 with westerly winds 6 to 12 mph. High Friday in the 30s.

EXTENDED FORECAST

Increasing cloudiness and not so cold Saturday with high in the upper 30s and low in the teens; chance of rain or snow Saturday night and Sunday; clearing and little temperature change Monday; low in the mid 20s and high in low 50s.

HIGH AND LOW

High and low temperatures for the 24- hour period ending at 7 a.m. today were 23 and 13 degrees.

Thursday, January 11
Sunset today ..... 5:01 p.m.
Sunrise tomorrow...7:12 a.m.
The moon, at First Quarter tonight, sets tomorrow at--- 12:29 a.m.

Elderly man dies in Gideon fire

GIDEON — Jess Coleman, 67, died in a fire at 3:12 p.m. Wednesday at his home behind Bill's Bar.

New Madrid County Coroney Gene Clayton said Coleman died of smoke inhalation and burns to his face, legs, feet and body.

Investigating officers said the fire apparently resulted from an overheated stove. The old frame structure where Coleman had lived alone for about three years was formerly used as a coal shed.

The building was engulfed in flames when firemen arrived, and they were further hampered getting into the building due to the door being barred on the inside. Officers said Coleman customarily kept the door barred.

The body, Clayton said, was found in a sitting position on a couch facing the stove. No inquest is scheduled.

Coleman, born Jan. 18, 1905, was not employed and reportedly has no survivors. Graveside rites were conducted at 2 p.m. today in Stanfield Cemetery with John McMillen officiating and Russell Mortuary in charge of arrangements.

New commodity distribution in Sikeston

Scott County commodity distribution has moved to the 100 block of Trotter street in Sikeston. Photo above shows the dome- shaped building where applicants may pick up only items they want. The self- service style has saved waste of unwanted items. The next distribution date is set for Feb. 5 in the new building.

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Thursday, January 11 — 1622, Rembrandt draws a blank.

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POOR CHARLIE SAYS!

A man who says "we" occasionally is generally admired.

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UNITED NATIONS DISCRIMINATION

While the high and mighty in the United Nations hurl charges at others, mostly the United States, of alleged "discrimination" the U. S. itself has proven to be very discriminating in its own policies and programs. The U.N. does not hesitate to denounce Rhodesia, South Africa, Isreal, the U.S.A. or whoever happens to be on its black list for the day. Does the U.N. use the same standard for all nations?

Uganda's "President" Amin continues to rival Adolph Hitler for barbarity, which is not surprising in view of the fact that Amin has praised Hitler for his treatment of minorities. Not only is Amin forcing the Asian minority out of Uganda, but his troops are ruthlessly beating, kicking, threatening and robbing them as they exit. What has the U.N. done or said. Nothing.

"President" Bokassa of the Central African Republic enjoys helping his police beat thieves to death, with no trial. When U. N. Secretary General Kurt Waldheim expressed mild distaste for such actions, Bokassa promptly attacked him as a "colonialist and imperialist" and Waldheim beat a hasty retreat.

In Rwanda and Burundi, two more African States, warring tribesmen have slaughtered some 100,000 persons. In India, the leader of the Naga tribe has tried to complain, without success, that the New Deli government is methodically exterminating his people. The U.N. has yet to respond. Bangladesh soldiers continue to brutalize non-Bengali minorities.

Most of these small fry countries receive more aid from the U.N. than they pay in dues. While thousands perish and cry out in pain, the U.N. rambles on with pious denunciations of racism, imperialism, and a dozen other "isms" against civilized nations such as Rhodesia. The U.N. should drop its double standards, and take prompt and firm action against the small - fry, present day Hitlers. And if the U. N. does not take such action for the protection of human life, liberty and property, then the United States should refuse to be a party to such inaction, and withdraw support from the U.N. itself.

Someone has suggested that the United Nations be assigned the task of "supervising the peace" in South Vietnam. Surely they cannot be serious. The U.N. is proving itself to be expert at looking the other way. To give the U. N. this task would be an open invitation to the Communists to murder at will.

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Prof. Bob Miller wonders why it is that everything which has to be dug up seems to have been buried under the pavement.

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It is indeed a sad week for the Editor. Losing two personal friends in Past President Truman's death and Mrs. Stuart Symington's death. Both were very kind to the Editor, on many occasions and I extend extreme sympathy to Mrs. Truman and to Senator Symington.

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According to a Tax Foundation, Inc. study, payroll in 1970 for all government was $111 billion; $48 billion federal, $18 billion state and $45 billion local. The study also indicates that government had more people on its payrolls than the total of workers in all of the wholesale and retail trades, plus agriculture, forestry and fisheries.

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Command Decision. In Central Valley, Calif., when a fire alarm interrupted the crowning of the queen at the annual Firemen's Ball, Chief Earl Stevens dispatched all his men to quell the blaze, stayed on himself to complete the coronation.

Hal Boyle

NEW YORK (AP) — Things we could all do without:

Unpaid Christmas bills, leftover Christmas trees, late arriving Christmas cards.

Forecasts of further inflation.

New buses with narrower, midget-size seats.

Any more clever names for men's and women's rest rooms.

Human health foods that look like dog food and taste like bird seed.

Parties to which every guest brings a present for the hostess except you.

Tomcats howling for love on a frozen fence on the coldest, blackest night in January.

People who are still smugly sticking to the New Year's resolutions they made last week.

People who keep explaining ad tedium why they have already broken the New Year's resolutions they made only last week.

Any Neanderthal wit who gravely asks you, "Cold enough for you?"

Those annual pictures of fat, middle-age people in bathing suits taking a midwinter dip to show their hardihood.

The 24-hour virus that changes its mind and hangs on for three weeks.

Guys and dolls who break their legs in foolish skiing accidents over the weekend and who then crutch it around the office in casts while you do most of their work for them and they wear an air of someone who has done something heroic.

Utilities companies which are always surprised by a turn in the weather, so they are caught short of cool air in summer and caught short of warm air in winter.

Restaurant patrons who make a habit of sending their first Martini back because it isn't dry enough. Why don't they just ask for straight gin or vodka — and let it go at that?

Haughty young girls who say they don't want to marry unless they can marry a millionaire. Girls like that within 10 years usually end up wed to a divorced barfly they met in a saloon, and who is chronically broke from paying alimony to his first wife.

People who can afford expensive vacations down South this time of year while I'm still paying for the rainy week I spent last summer at the resort on Mosquito Lake, Maine.

Ladies who give you a big good night soul kiss at their front door, than say. "I'd invite you in, but I've got the flu real bad — and I wouldn't want you to catch it."

From these and other afflictions of mind and spirit, deliver us, Amen.

"May I Be the First to Kiss the Bride?"

TOMORROW

JANUARY 12 — FRIDAY

EDMUND BURKE'S BIRTHDAY. Jan 12. British orator, politician, and philosopher, born Dublin, Ireland, Jan. 12, 1729. Died Beaconsfield, England, July 9, 1797.

JACK LONDON'S BIRTHDAY. Jan. 12. American author, born, San Francisco, Calif., Jan. 12, 1821. Died, Nov. 22, 1916.

SAN FRANCISCO SPORTS & BOAT SHOW. Jan. 12-21. Cow Palace, San Francisco, Calif. Sponsor: San Francisco Sport and Boat Show Assn., Tom Rooney, Exec. Dir., 325 Pacific Ave., San Francisco, Calif.

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It was a heartbreak to us when we learned of the death of Mrs. Stuart Symington. We have met her many times, though we can't claim to be as close a friend as we are to her illustrious husband. Mrs. Symington was a beautiful woman, the daughter and relative of a great many nationally known Republican notables. She married a Democrat who had worked his way through college, inspired him to become a millionaire and a national figure. Our sympathy to Senator Symington in the loss of his wonderful wife.

Shilbina Democrat

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Our hard-nosed banker relative has supplied us with the following view on economics:

"There are pros and cons in the inflation picture. The upcoming labor contracts, the expected reduction in the wage and price program, and the expanding economy in general should all mitigate to push up the inflationary expectations and thus inflation.

"Here, then, in general is how we see 1973 shaping up from an economic viewpoint. It will be a year of continued economic growth. It will be a year when the Administration attempts to control inflation by putting a lid on government spending and reducing the swollen federal deficit.We expect that they will be in the main somewhat successful. However, their success would not be a permanent feature of the American government as it is now structured. We expect state and local governments to continue spending and we expect the Federal Reserve to concern itself with anti-inflation efforts as the economy reaches a very high plane. We believe that the quarter just passed plus the first two quarters of 1973 will witness the maximum rate of growth that will be seen in this expansionary cycle.

"We believe you will see the problems that come with approaching capacity production, the resurgence of demand-pull inflation, and the natural reduction of the rate of growth manifest in the second part of the year. We think you will then see the beginnings of doubt and uneasiness once again begin to reverberate in the economic statistics."

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DRAWBACKS TO PANIC ACTION

Everyone has read of the disasters that occur when a mob panics. Cries of alarm on a sinking ship or a crowded dance floor are invitations to tragedy. Something of a similar nature takes place in these days of instant communication when the country is flooded with news stories that start millions of people rushing for the nearest "exit". Something of this nature may be happening in the case of the chemical aid to agriculture known as pesticides.

Thanks to emotional reporting, the pressure is on to "ban pesticides" with little thought given to the possibly disastrous consequences. Some of those consequences have been touched upon in a short feature on pesticides in the house organ of a major drug company. The article draws attention to the fact that residents in areas of New York and Connecticut have experienced their second "Leafless summer". It says, "The region is returning to the 'balance of nature' that many anti- pesticide advocates have wanted, or so they think." Until 1968, the pests had been kept in control by spraying with DDT. An ineffective substitute has led to the leafless summers for this region. As the article goes on to point out, "The leafless trees in New York and Connecticut may be an indication of what the future would be like if pesticides were banned: insect- riddled crops, crop- choking weeds growing in abundance; rampant diseases, such as malaria and encephalitis; sky rocketing food prices; unsanitary living conditions and food storage; and city dwellers farming small plots in an attempt to raise their own food because farmers could not do the entire job."

The point of the article in the drug firm's house organ is that pesticides should be used properly-- not abandoned. And every effort is being made by the pesticide industry, the government and other interested parties to further public education on the safe application of the vital chemicals that play such a large part in keeping this nation healthy and well fed. These educational efforts should not be drowned out by panic-inspiring, anti- pesticide headlines.

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When a funeral procession passed a golf course where four men were preparing to tee off for their regular Saturday afternoon game, one of them turned toward the street, removed his cap and held it over his heart. "Why did you do that?" asked his partner.

"Well," replied the fellow, "I thought it was the least I could do for my wife."

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Betcha Didn't Know...

My Little Shirt Sharpener serves blended coffee today's and yesterday's.

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After carefully explaining the origin of the American flag to a citizenship class, the speaker asked: "What is it you see flying over the courthouse every day?"

"Pigeons," came a reply from the back of the room.

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The kindness we mean to show tomorrow cures no heartaches today.

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FIRST ON THE SCENE

THE OLD MAN was sitting on the porch of a little village store when a big shiny car drove up with two strangers.

"Hey, grandpa," one of them called out, "how long has this burg been dead?"

The old man looked over his spectacles before he replied, "Not long, I reckon. You're the first buzzards I've seen.

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Old- timer: "The old woman ain't talkin' to me, and I ain't about to interrupt her."

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"IT'S THE PRESENT THAT'S KILLING US"

United States railroads are living through an anomalous period without parallel in the annals of American industry. As one authority comments, they can look back on a glorious past and forward to a promising future. But, "It's the present that's killing us." The reason the railroads have a promising future is not hard to find. They are the answer to serious problems confronting the nation. These problems include pollution-- of which railroads do far less than other modes of transport; congestion-- which railroads can relieve better than highways; and growth-- which railroads alone can efficiently accommodate by moving the massive volumes of freight that an expanding economy and population will generate.

The anomaly is that even as prospects for the future of the railroad industry have never been so bright, the financial strength of the industry is being undermined by circumstances beyond its control. The facts and recommendations contained in the study of America's Sound Transportation Review Organization tell the story. Expanding government help for rail competitors, discriminatory taxes, rate regulation that has kept the profit margin thin and governmental policies that force the continuation of uneconomic services have brought the rails to a time when positive action must soon be taken if they are to survive and grow to meet expanding transport demand.

The ASTRO Report, as it is known, proposes sweeping changes in public transportation policies. Several bills pending in Congress deal with matters covered in the ASTRO Report. Meanwhile, the countdown for the railroads continues, and the question of whether they will be permitted to carry out the promise of the future remains largely in the lap of public opinion and the nation's lawmakers.

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Asked how she liked her new boss, a young secretary remarked: "Oh, he isn't so bad, only he's kind of bigoted."

"How do you mean?"

"Well," explained the girl, "He thinks words can only be spelled one way."

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TRAVEL DO'S AND DON'TS FOR YOUNG AMERICANS

Each year, thousands of young Americans travel abroad for study, work or kicks. For most, it's great. But for an increasing number of travelers, it's a "bust."

To help young Americans avoid the problems of foreign travel, the U.S. State Department has just published a pamphlet which offers some helpful suggestions on planning a successful trip abroad.

The pamphlet, on sale by the U.S. Government Printing Office for 20 cents, provides useful information on passports and visas, travel in Eastern Europe, vaccination requirements, charter flights, study and work programs, and the role U.S. embassies and consulates play in protecting the rights of U.S. citizens overseas.

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IT MIGHT BE SELF SERVING

We hope you aren't "one of these." This was sent to me the other day, and while one could probably comment that it's self serving, it is rather clever.

It source is unknown. It's called "WARNING to Non-Subscribers."

"A man who was too cheap to subscribe to his hometown newspaper sent his little boy to borrow his neightbor's copy. In his haste the boy ran over an $80 hive of bees and in 10 minutes he looked like a warty squash.

"His father ran to his assistance, and failing to notice the barbed wire fence, ran into that cutting a hole in his anatomy as well as ruining a pair of $10 trousers. The old cow took advantage of the gap in the fence and killed herself eating green corn.

"Hearing a racket, the wife ran out, upset a 4-gallon churn of cream into a basket of chicks, drowning the entire batch.

"In her haste she dropped a $135 set of false teeth, which the family dog buried thinking it was a new type of bone.

"The baby, having been left alone, crawled through the spilled cream and into the parlor, ruining a $250 carpet.

"During the excitement the oldest daughter ran away with the hired man, a stray dog broke up 11 setting hens, the calves got out and chewed the tails off four fine shirts on the clothes line, and the cat had a batch of kittens.

"All this just to save 10 cents. And in this case, the poor guy never did get to read that day's edition. — Clipped and Contributed

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In 1861, near the beginning of the Civil War, Julia Ward Howe stood one day watching the Army of the Potomac as the troops were hurrying from the North to the southern battlefields, singing the rough, popular song, "John Brown's Body." She was gripped with the desire to write some words for the magnificent swinging melody. All that night words and phrases were casting themselves in her mind. It is said that shortly before dawn she wrote the stanzas in the dark, and then fell into a sound sleep. Upon publication, the song spread through the land like fire. It is said that when Abraham Lincoln heard it for the first time, he broke into tears. The song was "Mine Eyes Have Seen the Glory."

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It's hard to view any man as a total failure when you realize he will shave two square miles of face in his lifetime.

H.L. Hunt

STOPPING SKYJACKERS

The growing number of airplane hihackings calls for stern action to protect the innocent. Unfortunateiy many governments of the world are unwilling to take necessary steps to stop these crimes.

The number of hijackings has been mounting rapidly. Charles Tuller, a U.S. government official wanted for bank robbery and murder, escaped to Cuba after hijacking a plane. Three conviced men took over a Southern Airways plane, held it for 28 hours, wounded the co-pilot, and extorted over a million dollars in ransom money before forcing the plane to Cuba. A gang of Arab terrorists threatened to kill all the passengers aboard a Lufthansa jet unless the Arabs who murdered the members of the Israeli Olympic team were released.

So far most countries have taken only ineffective measures to stop these crimes. Just as in far too many domestic criminal cases, the lawbreakers receive better treatment than the victims.

Carefully trained, armed guards could be stationed on airplanes to apprehend hijackers. Most passengers would be glad to have such a guard on board because it would help to ensure that they would reach their destination.

Airline employees, who must live with the threat of hijacking, are preparing for action to protect themselves and their passengers. The 50,000- member International Airline Pilots Association, representing pilots of 64 countries, may soon refuse to serve countries which fail to return skyjackers. Delegates representing 300,000 ground-crew workers from 23 countries have voted not to handle planes of countries granting hijackers asylum.

If governments would be as firm as these airline employees, the hijacking problem would soon be solved. HLH

Inside Labor

By Victor Riesel

WASHINGTON-- From workers' and peasants' leaders in South Vietnam comes an appeal in fervent tones to some of us and to the American government to stand by them, to assure they will not be slaughtered by North Vietnamese troops and secret police as were 100,000 anti-Communist teachers, unionists, intellectuals, journalists and democrats two decades ago when the late Ho Chi Minh cut loose.

These words echoing in the halls of memories in time sound much like the fervent pleas of similar labor parties and peasant organizations throughout Europe when the Nazis got off their rifle butts and panzer divisions murdered men, women, children, cities and nations alike.

Now those men, saved on many continents when America's troops and mass production wizardry smashed Hitler's panzers and Luftwaffe, are older, sleeker and more secure. They are, or have been, prime ministers. Universally they are Social Democrats pledged to the nationalization of industry-- generally men with a deep guilt complex because they haven't the courage to become militant Socialists or Communists.

Now, though I have carried confidential messages from their premiers' offices and national labor headquarters to American leaders urging America to stand up against Communist "aggression in Southeast Asia," they denounce America as "disgusting...maniacs...genocidal" and a mass torturer.

Each of us is privileged to our own grim analysis of America's bombing of North Vietnam. None of us are privileged to be one- sided and still fairly claim objectivity.

In the office of former Swedish Prime Minister Tage Erlander, he told me, as he prepared to retire, that his young successor Olof Palme would never give America a single day of political surcease.

Today, Prime Minister Olof Palme, whose nation depends considerably on American purchase of Swedish autos and shipping services, takes our dollars and denounces us as virtual Nazis. He has a problem. It is now fashionable among the young Swedish voters to be anti- American. The aggressive Swedish Communist Party is cutting into Palme's vote. There is an election due in September. Palme, the Social Democrat, whose national economy is very dependent on American purchases, campaigns by blaspheming us.

He is a Social Democrat. So is West Germany's Willy Brandt, whose life and party America saved. He calls the U.S. "disgusting." Yet we spend hundreds of millions annually to keep some 300,000 troops in the Federal Republic of Germany and a token force in West Berlin.

And there are the British Social Democrats. Their labor leaders have just sat with the Soviet chiefs in Moscow. Between Dec. 7 and Dec. 10, Vic Feather, leader of the British labor movement, conferred with Soviet labor chief A. Shelepin, who is a vicious anti- Semite, a former secret police chief and, in good part, the organizer of ghastly U.S.S.R. forced labor camps, wherein "live" Soviet intellectuals and dissenters-- much as in the Nazi concentration camps.

Now these Social Democrats, collaborating enthusiastically-- while we shield them from Soviet attack-- with Russian "labor leaders," are planning a European regional labor congress sometime this year.

For the moment we can skip further descriptions of social democratic vituperation against the U.S. There are two points to be made.

The record doesn't disclose any such name calling when Soviet infantry and artillery smashed women and children in Budapest, Hungary, in 1956; nor when the Polish Army and secret police slew men, women and children during the bread riots at Poznan and Gdansk nor when anti- Soviet Czech leaders were beaten by Moscovite storm troopers as SS men did with truncheons.

Remember Alexander Dubcek, the Czech leader, being bloodied by Soviet secret police when that nation was seized by the Russian armies without the slightest provocation in 1968.

As for the second point: it must be noticed that there is a fervent comradeship between today's European Social Democrats and Communist movements.

It must be understood that the Social Democrats draw their power from massive trade union bases-- Britain's Harold Wilson (who has just insulted the U.S. though in the past it has been a generous host to him and his posh tastes), Germany's Willy Brandt, and the Australian government. There, the labor movement is almost entirely militantly left-wing or Communist controlled, especially on the waterfront and in the building and construction trades.

Thus there is the beginning of a common ideological-economic anti- American front-- eager to use the bombings of North Vietnam against us in any fashion and to fashion a weapon against our labor output and industries as well. The Australians have been boycotting American ships. In retaliation, Ted Gleason's AFL— CIO Longshoremen report they have refused to handle Australian cargo in any freighter of any land. In midweek eight ships were idle in New York, Tampa, Charleston, S.C., Savannah, Boston and Baltimore.

And from South Vietnam, from the party of workers and peasants known as the Vietnam Cong Nong Party, led by Tran quoc Buu, president of the Vietnamese Confederation of Labor, comes a message:

Don't abandon them to the assassination squads of Hanoi. And "the workers and peasants of (south) Vietnam request the complete withdrawal of all the military forces of Communist North Vietnam from the territories of the Republic of South Vietnam...in order to implement a serious ceasefire."

In a few days Buu will be here personally. I know him as a man who has fought the French foreign legion; as a man who has been imprisoned by some of Saigon's previous regimes; as a man who loves his country. It is only fair that he too should be heard above the din of both bombings and the damnings.

Washington Merry-Go-Round

By Jack Anderson

JACK ANDERSON SAYS: Watergate defendants to President: 'We wont take rap for higher-ups'

WASHINGTON — Some of the defendants in the Watergate trial are sending quiet signals to the Nixon Administration that they may start talking before they'll go to prison.

Sources close to former White House advisers G. Gordon Liddy and E. Ward Hunt say both men have dropped hints, intended for White House ears, that they have some embarrassing revelations they could tell. They want to get across the message that they don't intend to take the rap for the higher-ups who directed the Republican espionage - sabotage operations.

Bernard Barker, who recruited the wiretap crew that broke into Democratic headquarters, has also let it be known that he is preparing to write a book about his experiences. Sources in touch with him have passed the word that the book could be highly embarrassing if he is left "to rot in jail" for carrying out orders.

One of Barker's boys, Frank Sturgis, has also sounded out publishers through an agent about doing a book after the trial.

Defense sources say that Henry Rothblatt, the high-powered attorney for four of the men caught at gunpoint inside Democratic headquarters, is also unhappy. He is quoted as complaining that the higher-ups haven't delivered all the money they promised for the defense.

One problem, say these sources, is that congressional investigators are subpoenaing the bank records of everyone involved in the Watergate caper. This makes it necessary for the secret benefactors to deal strictly in cash.

The $10,000 in greenbacks, found on the body of Hunt's wife after she died in a Chicago crash, was part of the secret defense fund, the sources acknowleged.

None of the defendants would make a statement for the record. Rothblatt has refused to discuss where the money for the defense is coming from.

Fun In The Sun

While ordinary narcotics agents risk their lives in shootouts with smugglers around the world, President Nixon's favorite drug fighters are having fun in the sun at San Clemente, Calif.

The lucky few are the bosses of the Drug Abuse Law Enforcement office, which the President set up personally to fight narcotics on the street level.

They flew down to San Clemente at considerable expense to the taxpayers to discuss the narcotics problem. But much of their time has been spent frolicking in yachts, fishing boats, bars and heated swimming pools.

A private note to the conferees and their wives not only describes the fun to be had but tells them how to dress for it. The dress code, which reads more like Emily Post than a decree to tough narcotics agents, advises delicately:

"For dinner with Attorney General Kleindienst, gentlemen will wish to wear their best business suits such as might be appropriate for an appearance in federal district court.

"For meetings on Western White House grounds, the appropriate dress will be suits, or sports jackets with ties. You will find use for golfing, tennis, swimming, fishing, boating and/or touring attire ...

"The ladies will be at liberty with their husbands on Tuesday and Wednesday afternoon. Swimming in the heated pool will be popular, rain or shine. It is expected that a short yacht voyage will be offered, in which event the skipper will appreciate the wearing of soft-soled shoes."

For evening affairs, according to the dress edict, "a silk or wool suit or a cocktail dress" would be appropriate for the wives. "At the concluding dinner on Wednesday evening, well-dressed ladies will appear in dresses or pants suits appropriate to the first-class yacht club locale."

From San Clemente, a spokesman said the Balboa Yacht Club dinner had been cancelled because most of the 60 conferees had left for home. As for frolicking in the sun, he insisted that their primary mission was to work.

Hanoi says it won't be forced

PARIS (AP) — North Vietnam warned today that it will never be intimidated by American bombing or other acts of force and will not accept American efforts to "impose unreasonable terms" in the peace talks.

As Henry A. Kissinger and Le Duc Tho met for the fourth straight day in their secret negotiations, Nguyen Minh Vy told the weekly meeting of the semipublic, four-party peace talks:

"The negotiations have now come to a decisive stage, it is either good progress toward signing an agreement, or continuation of the war. Obviously, this depends on the American side."

With American goodwill, peace could be rapidly restored, Vy continued. But if the United States "clings to the policy of force in an attempt to impose unreasonable terms . . . the Vietnam question cannot be settled and the war will be prolonged."

Meanwhile, Kissinger and Tho were joined for the first time in their current round of negotiations by the technical experts who have been working on details of various items that might be included in a cease- fire agreement.

The joint meeting of the top negotiators and the experts indicated that the negotiations between Kissinger and Tho were going beyond arguments over basic principles. But both sides maintained their news blackout, and there was no evidence of progress toward removing the main obstacles to agreement.

Kissinger and Tho were together for six hours and five minutes. All the principal negotiators smiled broadly as they left the house used as a negotiating site. The session was the longest of the four meetings they have held since resuming the talks after the American bombing of the North Vietnamese heartland was suspended.

At the four-party peace talks, the North Vietnamese delegate again demanded that the United States sign the agreement drafted by Kissinger and Tho in October.

Fuel shortage called serious

KANSAS CITY (AP) — Utilities in 60 Missouri, Kansas, Iowa and Nebraska communities have been cut off from their primary fuel and are running low on their alternate, posing a threat to electrical services in those areas.

The regional director of the Office of Emergency Preparedness, Francis X. Tobin, said Wednesday he was "quite concerned" that the continued cold weather could cause serious problems.

The primary fuel for the utilities — natural gas — has been curtailed by the gas companies because the utilities are interruptible gas customers. He said in times of shortage such as extremely cold weather, gas is cut off to "low priority" users and sent directly to priority users such as homes and apartment houses.

Tobin said the situation varied from "critically short" in Iowa to "short" in Missouri. Fuel oil reserves at the utilities are expected to last two weeks.

"We are not terming the situation critical, but we are quite concerned about what will happen if the winter continues as cold as it has been," Tobin said. "The big utilities in the big cities seem to be doing okay, but it is the 60 small ones, serving communities of 2,000 to 3,000 population we are worried about."

Tobin said some hospitals in Nebraska, Iowa and Missouri and school systems in Iowa are interruptible customers. He said one Missouri hospital was down to a 4-day supply of its number two source — fuel oil. And the 40-school Waterloo, Iowa, district has a 2-week reserve of fuel oil.

Wichita schools have been closed three days by a gas pressure failure brought on by the cold weather, but were scheduled to reopen today.

Tobin said Sabetha, Kan., a town with its own municipal utility, is down to its No. 2 oil reserves, has turned off street lights, asked merchants to turn off neon signs and urged residents to use as little electricity as possible.

A dozen federal buildings in Kansas, Missouri, Iowa and Nebraska have been ordered to reduce building temperatures to 65 degrees as of today.

Tobin said the shortage is also affecting trucks and municipal transportation systems in the region, with some truck lines having to ration diesel fuel.

Tobin said pipelines into the 4-state region are running near capacity but the OEP has learned that 72 per cent of the products carried last week were gasoline and jet fuel — not the badly needed No. 2 fuel oil and natural gas. He said refineries apparently consider it good business to move the gasoline and jet fuel because the price freeze froze those commodities at a higher price than the No. 2 fuel oil.

In southwest Missouri, two firms reported closings because of the shortages.

Hoffman-Taff Chemical Co. shut down operations Wednesday night at Springfield and Verona. A spokesman said about 100 employes were affected.

O'Sullivan Industries stopped production at Monett and furloughed 400 workers.

Some companies which continued operations today reported having reduced the heat in their plants, and workers wore sweaters, coats and other heavy clothes to keep warm.

NOTICE

February 15, 1973, is the revised deadline for the purchase of City of Morehouse Automobile, truck and motorcycle licenses. There will not be any further extension of time to purchase of said licenses.

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Nixon abolishes wage and price controls

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Nixon today abolished mandatory wage-price controls except for the food and health industries and established a self-administering system keyed to government economic standards.

The surprise move—far more sweeping than had been expected—came as Nixon asked Congress for a one year extension of his authority to control wages and prices.

The President abolished the Pay Board and the Price Commission but retained the Cost of Living Council to manage his Phase 3 economic system.

The new program, which immediately replaces the Phase 2 system established in November 1971, "is self-administering and based on voluntary compliance," the White House said.

No longer will large businesses and labor unions have to get prior government approval for wage or price hikes—except in "special problem areas" which Nixon listed as food processing and retailing, and the health industry.

The President also continued the present system of looser mandatory controls over construction wage increases and said the present voluntary effort to keep interest rates down would stay in effect.

But for those industries and unions freed today from mandatory controls, the government retains the right to move in with stiff action to roll back unreasonable increases.

Nixon said in a message to Congress that his goal is to reduce the inflation rate to 2.5 per cent or less by the end of 1973. He said his 90-day Phase 1 wage-price freeze and his Phase 2 mandatory controls had cut the inflation rate by nearly half—to about 3.5 per cent.

Pemiscot countians vote special school district

CARUTHERSVILLE — Pemiscot County voters decided Tuesday by a margin 720-327 to establish school district for vocational training and education and training of mentally and physically handicapped children. The proposal carried all wards in the larger cities of Caruthersville and Hayti.

Voters also elected six members to serve on the proposed vocational school district board.

Elected to three-year terms are James Cameron of North Pemiscot school district and C. A. Viveratte of Hayti school district. Named to two- year terms are John Holmes of South Pemiscot school district and Charles Faris of Delta C-7 school district. Marshall Thomas of the combined school districts of Cooter and McCarty and Mrs. James Betz will serve one- year terms.

The bill to set up the new district provides for a property tax not to exceed the annual rate of 25 cents per $100 assessed valuation. Any additional tax levy will be voted upon by the people at a later date.

For the building and equipment, an 80-20 per cent matching fund grant from the federal government through the Ozark Regional Planning Commission may be available. Additional funds can be secured through the State Department of Education on a 50-50 matching fund basis.

Transportation will be furnished by the special district.

Possible courses to be offered at the vocational training school include carpentry, plumbing, electronics, drafting, welding, electrical appliance repair, printing, nurses aid, graphic arts, secretarial practice and cosmetology.

Drug suspect placed on two years probation

BENTON— John Craig of Morley was placed on two years probation by Judge Lloyd Briggs in Magistrate Court Wednesday.

Criag was charged with possession of marijuana on Nov. 24. Judge Briggs also ordered Craig not to associate with Jim Mills or Ken Taylor.

Bond was reduced from $75,000 to $15,000 for Thomas Wesley Maddox of St. Louis and he was given one week to obtain an attorney. He is charged with stealing personal property and drugs from Amrhein Pharmacy on Dec. 20. 1972.

Troy Harlin Estes, Jr. of Scott City, charged with driving while operators licenses were revoked, was placed on probation for two years under the supervision of a parole and probation officer.

After pleading guilty to a charge of writing a bad check to Al Glastetter in the amount of $20 on Oct. 24, 1972, Donald Ponder was placed on probation on condition he pay costs and make restitution within 60 days.

Billy D. Williamson of Sikeston, charged with driving, while intoxicated, was fined $150, given 30 days in the county jail and placed on probation for one year. The jail sentence and $100 of the fine was set aside provided he doesn't have another vehicle offense for one year.

In other cases brought before the court:

Darnell W. Nelson of Benton, driving while licenses were revoked, was fined $16 and cost; Ralph Victor Prau of Cape Girardeau, speeding, $16 and cost; George Evans, of Sikeston, no operator's license, $5 and cost; John Ellis Fort of Benton, careless and imprudent driving, trial set for Jan. 17; Elbert Lee Williams of Sikeston, careless and imprudent driving, $10 and cost; Wallace Robert Knight of Poplar Bluff, driving while intoxicated and driving on the wrong side of the road, $250 and cost and Arthur Lee Keys of Oran expired chauffeur's license, $50 and cost.

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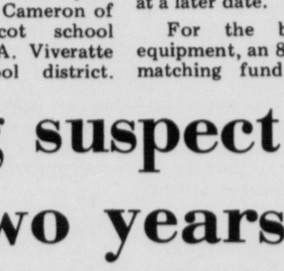

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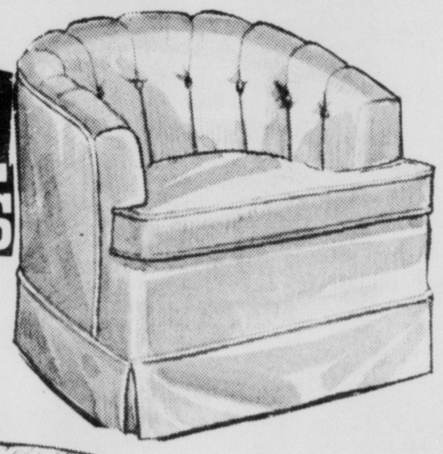

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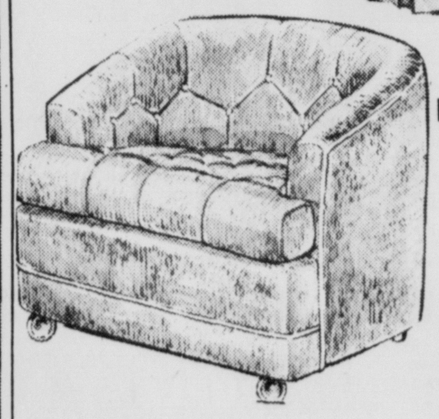

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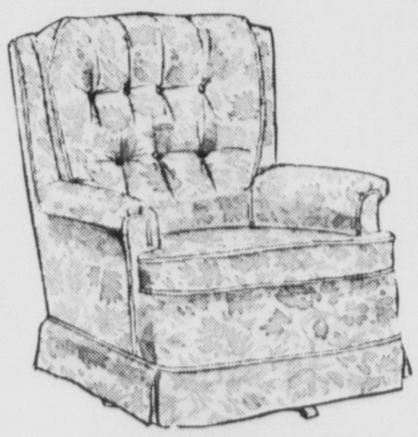

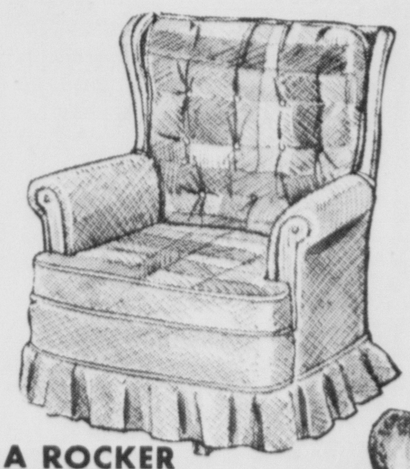

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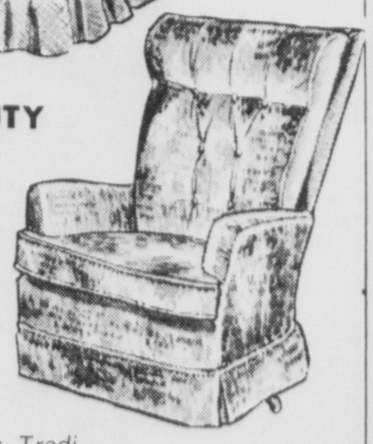

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Calendar of Events

TUESDAY

Morehouse Chapter No. 450, Order of the Eastern Star, will hold its regular stated meeting at 7:30 p.m. at the Masonic hall in Morehouse. District deputy grand matron Nadine Collins will make her official visit.

WEDNESDAY

Girl Scout leaders of Brownie, Junior - Cadette and Senior troops will meet together at First Christian Church at 9:30 a.m.

Ann Landers

People may look like pets, but don't say it aloud

Dear Ann Landers: Please tell me how to get out of this. The other evening my husband and I were with a group of friends of long standing. I have always been comfortable with these people and didn't feel that I needed to weight my words.

The conversation turned to Ann Landers' column. One of the women said she was amused at all the furor created by the cat- lovers and the cat-haters. Then someone mentioned pets and I made the comment that I was amazed at how frequently people resemble their pets.

One of the women said, "Are you suggesting that I look like a Pekinese?" I replied, good naturedly, "As a matter of fact, you do have a cute little pug nose, large, expressive brown eyes and sandy- colored, curly hair." The woman became insulted and I had to defend myself.

Did I say something that could be considered unflattering? I'll leave it to you.--- Loose Lip In Lubbock

Dear Lip: Funny you should have made that remark. I have often thought the same thing myself. Anyone who doubts that pets resemble their owners should stand on Michigan Avenue in Chicago and watch the dog- walkers. (P.S. I don't believe this is something they like to be told, however, so keep it to yourself.)

Dear Ann Landers: Please, please give that woman some help. I refer to the wife who felt guilty because she was "stealing" money from her husband's wallet after he had passed out cold in the bedroom. It seems she had to have money to put food on the table and shoes on her children's feet.

You suggested that she talk to him during his sober moments and tell him what she was doing-- and then continue to pick his pockets without feeling guilty.

It's obvious that you have never lived with an alcoholic. Sober moments, indeed. Like when? In the morning, perhaps, when he is so hung-over he can't see straight, much less think straight.

What you should have suggested was Al- Anon. If no Al- Anon Family Group program is available in that woman's vicinity she should contact the nearest A.A. office.

With nine million alcoholics in this country, there are an estimated 36 million people whose lives are directly affected by the alcoholic. I can't describe to you the improvement that Al- Anon has made in my life. My husband is still drinking, but I have learned how to live my life and not let an alcoholic live it for me. I now have a sense of direction and understanding that have made me a new woman. One day my husband will stop drinking, I am sure of it, but this is something he must do himself. I cannot do it for him. Until that day comes, I will continue to go to Al-Anon meetings, draw strength from others, and give them some of mine.--- From Philadelphia

Dear F.P.: I have been a strong (and early) supporter of Al- Anon, because I know they do a remarkable job. I have recommended it in this space dozens of times and I will continue to do so. Thank you for suggesting Al- Anon for the woman who wrote. Your answer was better than mine.

Confidential to Inferiority Complex: A thoroughly competent waiter makes his patrons feel comfortable, not inferior. If the service was as poor as you described you should have left no tip rather than a very small one.

Is alcoholism ruining your life? Know the danger signals and what to do. Read the booklet, "Alcoholism– Hope and Help," by Ann Landers' Enclose 35c in coin with your request and a long, self-addressed envelope to this newspaper.

CG Club has new officers

The Candace Green Club has elected Helen Harris of the Morley Chapter as president for 1973 and Loretta B. Smith of the Charleston chapter as vice president.

The next meeting will be held Jan. 29 at 6:30 p.m. at the home of the new president.

Q—Where does tapioca come from?

A—The root of the bitter cassava, a tropical plant of the castor bean family.

Q—What two states have no counties?

A—Louisiana, which has parishes, and Alaska, which has boroughs.

Q—Who was awarded the first Pulitzer Prize for reporting?

A—Herbert Bayard Swope, New York World, 1917.

Mrs. William Morgan McClung

McClung-Wells

MESQUITE, Tex. — Miss Carolyn Kathleen Wells and William Morgan McClung were united in marriage in a double- ring ceremony on Dec. 29 at Buckner Chapel. The 10 a.m. ceremony was preformed by the Rev. Harold W. Maye, director of home life for Buckner Children Home.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen D. Wells of Benton, Mo., are parents of the bride, and Mrs. Grace McClung of Brownwood, Tex., is the mother of the groom. Mr. and Mrs. Jake Smith of Morley, Mo., and the late Mr. and Mrs. Owen D. Wells Sr. of Benton, Mo., are the bride's grandparents.

Popular musical selections were played by Velma Chism of Dallas instead of the traditional wedding marches.

The bride was presented in marriages by her father. She wore a gown made and designed by her mother. The dress was made of candlelight satin, and the long sleeves and empire bodice were covered with candlelight lace. The full-length gown was softly gathered at the waist. Her waist-length veil of matching lace was caught up with a headpiece of satin. She carried a bouquet of yellow roses, baby's breath and white carnations with yellow streamers.

The bride choose her sisters, Miss Marilyn Jean Wells as maid of honor and Miss Sherilyn Diana Wells as bridesmaid.

The maid of honor wore a dark green satin dress, and the bridesmaid wore a dress of light green satin. The gowns were fashioned after those of the bride and were floor-length and long sleeved. The girls also wore matching, green velvet weskits. The maid of honor carried a single, long-stemmed, yellow rose. The bridesmaid carried a single rose and three additional roses presented to the bride's mother and grandmother and the groom's mother as the couple left the altar.

Terre Lynn Joyner, niece of the groom, was flower girl. She wore a green dress and carried a basket of yellow roses. Miss Joyner is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Bangs.

Fred Davis Spencer II of Brownwood was best man. Owen D. Wells III of Benton, brother of the bride, and Garry Joyner, nephew of the groom, were ushers.

A reception followed the ceremony in the Welcome House of Buckner Children Home. A three-tiered wedding cake centered a table overlaid with a yellow tablecloth and lace. Fredia Henderson and Carolyn Dooley of Dallas were servers. Emily Marez of Dallas was at the guest book.

Mrs. McClung is a graduate of Kelly High School at Benton, Mineral Area Junior College Flat River, Mo., and attended Southeast Missouri State University at Cape Girardeau, Mo. She is presently employed at First National Bank as a National Cash Register operator.

McClung is a graduate of Brownwood High School and attends school at United Electronics in Dallas. He is employed by Barker Guard Service at Buckner Children Home.

The couple lives at 2719 Throughmorton, Apt. 123, Dallas.

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BIRTHS

BROWN — Mr. and Mrs. Raymond R. Brown of Dexter, are parents of a daughter born Friday at 7:10 p.m. at the Southeast Missouri Hospital in Cape Girardeau. The girl has been named Yvonne Ellen and weighed seven pounds nine and one-half ounces at birth. She is the second child, first daughter.

Mrs. Brown is the former Georgia Williamson. Brown is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Otha Brown of Dexter and is employed by Rowe Truck at Poplar Bluff.

SCULL — Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Scull of Benton are parents of a daughter born Friday at 6:25 a.m. at Southeast Missouri Hospital in Cape Girardeau. The baby weighed six pounds 12 3/4 ounces and has been named Jeannie Rebecca. She is the third child, second daughter.

Mrs. Scull is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Wolf of Wayne, Mich. Scull is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Scull of Aurora, Ill.

Hospital Notes

MISSOURI DELTA COMMUNITY HOSPITAL
CENSUS REPORT 1-11-72

Area	Total Beds	Patients	Reserved Emer. Beds	Gen. Adm. Beds
Med.-Surg.	114	101	6	7
Pediatrics	29	16	0	13
Obstetrics	14	8	0	6
Intensive Care	7	7	0	0

Patients scheduled for admission today: 0

MISSOURI DELTA COMMUNITY: Released:
Ruby J. Baker, East Prairie
Franklin J. Jones, Charleston
Leonara Edwards, Sikeston
Donald R. Sorrells, Sikeston
Mildred Laws, Portageville
James Abner, Charleston
Virley Agee, Sikeston
Michael Lipinski, Sikeston
Lawunna Barnett, Sikeston
Geraldine Owens, East Prairie
Richard Harris, Risco
Alberta Bishop, East Prairie
Beverly Sims, East Prairie
Mary E. Adams, Charleston
Teresa Washer, Charleston
Bessie Wright, Lilbourn
Helen S. Shipman, Dexter
Nina S. Nelson, East Prairie
Larry Boyer, Sikeston
Theodore Lyons, Charleston
Willie Richards, Sikeston
Jessie Williams, Charleston
Davis L. Hale, Bloomfield
Ira L. Taylor, Sikeston

Total patients discharged	24
Total patients admitted	16
Births	2

EMERGENCY DEPT.

Accident patients	10
Medical patients	25
Others	11
Total patients seen in the Emergency room	46

PEMISCOT MEMORIAL: Admitted:
Clarance Woodard, Caruthersville
Nina Rhoda, Caruthersville
Debbie Ghyers, Caruthersville
Bertha Robertson, Caruthersville
Ruth Powell, Caruthersville
Myrtle Bridges, Caruthersville
Evelina Anderson, Caruthersville
Jenny Warren, Caruthersville
James R. Hatley, Hayti
Thomas Davis, Hayti
Dessie Franks, Hayti
Wanda Holland, Hayti
Paula Anderson, Lilbourn
Wanda Keown, Wardell
Gregory Turner, Wardell
Margaret Harden, Wardell
Gloria Mitchell, Portageville
Rose Marie Nelson, Bragg City
Released:
Thelma Bradley, Caruthersville
Sarah Sandusky, Caruthersville
Gene Tarpley, Caruthersville
Rose Fisher, Caruthersville
Estellar Walker, Hayti
Waudine Soliz, Hayti
Robert Hurley, Hayti
Ola Williams, Hayti
Marie Jackson, Hayti
Carol Brown, Steele
J. R. Kinningham, Steele
DEXTER MEMORIAL: Admitted:
Regina Byrd, Bloomfield
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Ollie Dueley, Bloomfield
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Alcorns celebrate 61st anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Alcorn of Sikeston celebrated their 61st wedding anniversary with a noon luncheon in the Ramada Inn west room on Sunday, Dec. 31. They were married in Dexter on Dec. 31, 1911.

All seven of their children attended the luncheon.

Present were:

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Kindred and son Alan of Kennett; Mr. and Mrs. Paul Taylor and son Brian of Cape Girardeau; Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Alcorn and son Denny of Morley; Mr. and Mrs. Delmar Alcorn and Mr. and Mrs. Delmar Alcorn Jr. and son Kyle of Bertrand.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester McDonald and daughter Tammy, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Chaney and son Van, Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Alcorn, Dale Alcorn, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Alcorn and children David and Karen, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Miles and Mr. and Mrs. Mike McDonald and son Darin of Sikeston.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Michael Jr. and daughters Robin and Stephanie of Florida; Debbie Mouser, Margie Watson, Kim Shelton, Mike Parris, Jim Cumbee and Gary Simmons of Poplar Bluff; and Sharon Hamilton of Fredericktown.

The Lordsmen Quartet of Poplar Bluff entertained.

December marriages recorded

BLOOMFIELD — Nineteen marriages were recorded in the office of Stoddard County Recorder Ethel Crites for the month of December.

John Paul Dees, 51, of Jackson and Otha Ree Christopher, 46, of Cape Girardeau were married on Dec. 8 by the Rev. Don Gaines at Arbor.

Tommy Lee Pullum, 20, of Essex and Rebecca Jean Williamson, 17, of Dexter were married on Dec. 8 by the Rev. Doyle Corlew at Essex.

Tommie Joe Bates, Jr., 18, and Audrey Jeanice Hyten, 16, both of Puxico, were married on Dec. 9 by the Rev. Jerry E. Park at Puxico.

Frankie Lee Hale, 23, of Puxico and Shellia Diane Bailey, 23, of Sturdivant were married on Dec. 14 by the Rev. Homer Campbell at Zalma.

Danny Ray Gregg, 18, of Dexter and Debra Jean Tabor, 18, of Malden were married on Dec. 15 by the Rev. Johnny Godair at Malden.

Harold Gene Baldwin, 32, of Catron and Patricia Ann Gilbow, 32, of Dexter were married on Dec. 15 by the Rev. Wayne Curry at Dexter.

James E. Jones, 39, and Barbara A. Harrington, 35, both of Dexter, were married on Dec. 17 by the Rev. Marshall Dark at Dexter.

Terry Lee Berry, 19, and Donna Sue Kennard, 19, both of Bloomfield, were married on Dec. 22 by the Rev. John H. Walker at Bloomfield.

Elvin Edward Graham, 40, and Katherine Elaine Walker, 26, both of New Madrid, were married on Dec. 22 at Dexter by the Rev. Marshall E. Dark.

Norman Harold Cate Jr., 18, of Bloomfield and Tamara Lee Lashley, 18, of Dexter were married on Dec. 22 by the Rev. Marshall Dark at Dexter.

Jack Allen Dyrek, 30, of Sikeston and Andrea Lyn Smith, 21, of Dexter, were married on Dec. 22 by the Rev. Marion Gipson at Dexter.

John Stephen Lind, 18, and Nancy Carol Owens, 18, both of Dexter, were married on Dec. 22 by the Rev. Jere L. Hargrove at Dexter.

James Edward Hughes, 19, and Susan Diane Gunn, 20, both of Dexter, were married on Dec. 23 at Dexter by the Rev. Glen Segraves.

Robert Wayne Denton, 23, of Bloomfield and Barbara Ann Lee, 17, of Dexter were married on Dec. 21 by the Rev. Delvis B. Roberts at Dexter.

Stanley Eugene Medline, 20, and Debra Joy Tracer, 20, both of Dexter, were married on Dec. 23 by the Rev. W. R. Elledge at Dexter.

Robert E. Tate, 76, and Dorothy Elizabeth Ripley, 56, both of Sikeston, were married on Dec. 23 by the Rev. Sylvester Johnson at Dexter.

Leroy Jarred, 40, of Steele and Joann Rebecca McDonald, 36, of Dexter were married on Dec. 23 by the Rev. L. W. Gamble at Hornersville.

Michael Anthony Ellebracht, 18, of Puxico and Deborah Dianne Ladd, 18, of Sturdivant were married on Dec. 24 at Puxico by the Rev. Frank Heitman.

William David Rice Jr., 31, and Jeanette Wilcox, 19, both of Bernie, were married on Dec. 26 by the Rev. Elva Peck at Bernie.

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Freeman-Cravens

DEXTER — Miss Terry Lynn Cravens and Mark Elliot Freeman were united in marriage on Saturday, Dec. 1, in a double- ring ceremony performed by the Rev. Marshall Dark at First Baptist Church.

Parents of the bride are Mr. and Mrs. Chester G. Cravens. Mr. and Mrs. William P. Freeman are the groom's parents.

Brass candelabra, white candles, pine, red velvet ribbons, columns of white snowdrift pompons, red poinsettias and a brass kneeler decorated the church.

Mrs. Francis Montgomery, organist, played traditional wedding marches and "Ave Maria", "Musettas Waltz", theme from Romeo and Juliet, "Wedding Song" and "Clair DeLune".

Given in marriage by her father, Miss Cravens wore a white, velvet, floor- length gown designed and made by her mother. Her silk illusion veil was held in place by a lace cap. She carried a nosegay of white snowdrift pompons, red carnations and Bonsi ferns tied with red velvet ribbons.

Miss Janna Cravens, the bride's sister, was maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Beverly Smyth, Patty Acord and Sandra Freeman.

They wore red velvet and white satin gowns and carried white snowdrift pompons, holly and tiny red velvet bows. Candlelighters were Melody Walker and Kimberly Walker. Their dresses featured white satin bodices and floor- length, red, crushed- velvet skirts.

David Freeman, the groom's brother, was best man. Groomsmen were Gary Cravens, the bride's brother; Mike Ketterling; and Bob Raleigh. Ushers were Clayton Ferguson, Tom Cropcho, David Wagner and Ray Blair.

A reception was held at the church after the wedding. Sandy Lancaster, Sherry Abernathy, Vicki Smyth, Norma Walker and Linda Bowman served the guests.

A champagne buffet was held at the home of the groom's parents after the church reception.

Mrs. Cravens wore a floor-length, dacron, knit dress of navy, white and orange and a white orchid corsage. Mrs. Freeman wore a pink, dacron crepe, floor- length dress accented with silver braid and a white orchid corsage.

A rehearsal dinner was held Dec. 29 at the home of the groom's parents.

The new Mrs. Freeman is a senior at Southeast Missouri State University at Cape Girardeau. She is a graduate of Dexter High School.

Freeman is a sophomore at the university.

BIRTHS

RILEY — Mr. and Mrs. Richard R. Riley of Benton Route One are parents of a son born Jan. 4 at 1:29 p.m. in Missouri Delta Community Hospital in Sikeston. The baby weighed 10 pounds six and one-half ounces and has been named Richard Ross Rilley II. He is the fourth child, first son.

Mrs. Riley is the former Carol Jane Hodges, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James E. Hodges of Sikeston. Riley is the son of Mrs. Annie Riley of Blodgett and the late Rolly Riley. Riley operates the Sunoco service Station in Sikeston and farms.

NANCE — Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Nance of Galesburg, Ill., are parents of a son born Jan. 8 at 6:11 a.m. He is the second child, first son, weighed eight pounds 12 ounces and has been named Joel William.

Mrs. Nance is the former Berta Lathum, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Lathum of Matthews. Nance is the son of Mrs. Mary Nance and the late W. F. Nance of Sikeston. He is employed by Chevron Chemical Company.

CARR — Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Carr Jr. of Charleston are parents of their first child, a daughter, born Sunday at 8:25 p.m. at Missouri Delta Community Hospital in Sikeston. She weighed seven pounds and has been named Julie Elizabeth.

Mrs. Carr is the former Patricia Ruth Hart, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas H. Hart of Charleston, and Carr is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Carr Sr. of Charleston Route Two. He is a pilot for Charleston Aviation Inc. and a farmer.

Q—Where are the European headquarters of the United Nations?

A—Geneva, Switzerland.

Q—What freshwater lake is the world's longest?

A—Lake Tanganyika in Africa. It covers 12,700 square miles.

Reorganization bill available at libraries

JEFFERSON CITY — Charles O'Halloran, state librarian, announced today that the State Library has received a draft copy of the bill to reorganize the executive branch of Missouri's government from Sen. William J. Cason's office and will make desired sections of it available to all interested citizens through the public library network.

The 542- page reorganization bill was prefiled on Dec. 27 in the Missouri Senate by Cason and resulted from a constitutional amendment passed by the voters on Aug. 8, 1972, authorizing the state government to reorganize itself.

Citizens interested in sections of the bill can request their local public libraries to call over the "hotline" telephones or write to the State Library, 308 East High St., Jefferson City, Mo. 65101, for photocopies.

The State Library last year installed a "hotline" telephone whereby local public libraries can call collect to the State Library reference department for rush requests or to receive the latest available information on the status of House and Senate bills.

O'Halloran indicated that the library would not be able to provide copies of the entire bill due to its length, but that an index provided by Cason will be mailed to all public libraries within the next few days to assist patrons and local librarians in determining which sections they might wish to see.

College News

NEW MADRID — Ronnie Andrews, son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Andrews, is on the dean's list for the fall semester at Southeast Missouri State University at Cape Girardeau. He compiled a grade point average of 3.714 for the fall semester and has a cumulative 3.578 for 45 hours of study.

Andrews, who is majoring in computer science, will receive an associate of arts degree in applied computer science, business option, this summer. He is married to the former Paula Tollison.

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SPORTS

BASEBALL

NEW YORK— Gabe Paul, president of the Cleveland Indians, revealed that he has become an owner of the New York Yankees, severing all ties with the Cleveland club but for stock which will be held in escrow till it can be sold.

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District Basketball

Indian uprising

PERRYVILLE — St. Vincent Perryville roared past Valley of Caledonia 95-41 in Tuesday night basketball action.

Five of the Indians scored in double figures. Paul Coeper ripped in 21 points, Steve Schurnbusch followed with 16, Dennis Amshure and Mark Farrar hit for 12 and 11 respectively and Terry Kern added 10.

Caledonia ran into cold shoting during the first quarter and St. Vincent moved out to a big lead of 35-9. Second quarter action saw the Indians sending in substitutes who were able to build the halftime lead to 51-20.

In the third quarter, St. Vincent continued to open the lead and, by the final frame, Caledonia could only come up with only nine markers and the Indians had a big win.

Jim Weeks was high scorer for Caledonia with 12 points.

St. Vincent also won the B-game 66-26. Dick Wingert had 10 markers for the Indians and Gillian hit for 12 for Caledonia.

Scoring:

PERRYVILLE ST. VINCENT (95)

Amshure 12, Crowe 2, Kern 10, Wingert 6, Nelson 5, Bodenschatz 2, Kutz 4, Farrar 11, Beason 6, Schnurbusch 16, Coeper 21. Totals: FG-40; FT-15;PF-20.

CALEDONIA (41)

Neier 9, Weeks 12, Scott 1, Tedder 4, Mitch Tedder 8, Thompson 2, Griffin 5. Totals: FG-16; FT-9; PF-22.

Score by Quarters:

St. Vincent	35	16	18	26—95
Caledonia	9	11	12	9—41

North county rallies

FREDERICKTOWN — North County of Desloge took a win from the Fredericktown Blackcats Tuesday night, 46-37.

Desloge fell back in the first quarter 11-8 but captured the lead during second quarter play when Fredericktown came up with only six points to Desloge's 14 to trail at halftime 22-17.

Desloge held the lead in the third and fourth frames as Fredericktown could not come back.

Mark Mabery pumped in 16 points to lead the scoring for the winners and Bill Neubrand added 12. Larry Cruse had 13 for the Blackcats.

In the B-game, Fredericktown won a close one 30-29. Mike O'Brien came up with 12 points for the Blackcats, while J. Wallon had 15 to lead Desloge.

Scoring:

FREDERICKTOWN (37)

Cruse 13, Brunham 9, Settle 4, Roberts 1, Nations 8, Nail 2. Totals: FG-15; FT-7; PF-18.

NORTH COUNTY (46)

Aubuchon 4, Berry 6, Cook 6, Mabery 16, Neubrand 12, Fulton 2. Totals: FG-20; FT-6; PF-14.

Score by Quarters:

Fredericktown	11	6	10	10—37
North County	8	14	12	12—46

Preps lose 9th

CAPE GIRARDEAU — Leopold handed the College High Preps their ninth loss of the season Tuesday night, 70-50.

Leopold built an 11-8 first period lead and held on for the remainder of the game to notch its fourth win of the season against four losses.

Leopold took the second period 19-10 and led at the half 30-18. college High came out shooting in the third quarter and outscored Leopold 19-18, but Leopold came alive in the last period and ran to a 22-13 advantage.

Dennis Nenninger led the winners with 18 points. Dale Pierce was high for the Preps with 18 points.

Leopold won the B-game by 44-38. Jansen had 14 for the winners, while Mavers Curtis and Ricky Shirell had eight apiece for the Preps.

Scoring:

LEOPOLD (70)

Nenninger 18, Beel 12, Seller 2, Vandeven 5, Jansen 11, Vandeven 5, Eftink 17. Totals: FG-28; FT-14; PF-14.

COLLEGE HIGH (50)

Pierce 18, Phillips 6. Leaton 2, Holt 4, Engleman 12, Brown 8. Totals: FG-22; FT-6; PF-17.

Score by Quarters:

Leopold	11	19	18	22—70
College High	8	10	19	13—50

FARMINGTON — The Farmington Knights won their first game of the season against six losses by defeating Bismarck 63-59 Tuesday night.

Williams led the Knights with 16 points. Lucas had 22 for Bismarck, now 4-5 for the season.

Farmington took the B-game 41-40. It was the first home game for Farmington.

Scoring:

FARMINGTON (63)

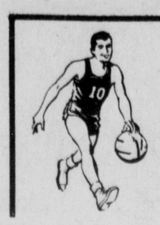
Vessell 12, Schmerbuch 4, Gegg 2, Thomas 7, Lollar 2, Williams 16, C. Reid 7, R. Reid 13. totals: FG-21; FT-21; PF-16.

BISMARCK (59)

Lucas 22, Kindle 12, Grisham 14, Milburn 4, Faulkner 6, Henson 1. Totals: FG-23; FT-13; PF-20.

Score by Quarters:

Farmington	13	14	13	23—63
Bismarck	4	14	12	19—59



Sports Corner

by Ron Jaynes

The Missouri State High School Activities Association board of directors has approved a proposal by KSD-TV of St. Louis to telecast the class L state basketball tournament final game and has approved other measures that will affect athletic programs throughout the state.

It was resolved that there will be no reserved seats this first year for state basketball tournament games to be held in the Hearnes Multipurpose Building on the campus of University of Missouri - Columbia. But sections will be designated for fans following each team.

Class S, M and L designations by the MSHSAA will be discontinued and changed to an A, AA, etc, as used in football classifications.

A plan to recognize the service of officials was adopted. It will provide 10-year, 15-year, 20-year and 25-year certificates, and officials who officiate 25 years or longer will receive lifetime complimentary subscriptions to the MSHSAA Journal when they retire from officiating.

The MSHSAA also adopted an amendment that eliminates the state indoor track meet and noted that no team or individual shall participate in more than 14 meets, which may include dual, invitational and conference meets, exclusive of the MSHSAA district and state outdoor meet series.

Athletic By-Law 7 has been amended to provide a basketball season for girls with practice to begin no earlier than Oct. 1 and the season will end the Saturday before the beginning of the boys Class M-S regional tournaments, which will be Feb. 23, 1974. The amendment becomes effective July 1, 1973.

Another establishes Oct. 15 as the earliest practice date for boys basketball and becomes effective July 1, 1973.

Teams that compete in either interscholastic or extramural competition may enter district and state events in 1973-74. When an extramural team enters a district event it will then file master of eligiblity roster etc.

Amendment No. 16 will require the first three days of football practice in 1973 to be without player equipment, excepting helmets and shoes.

Teams and individual wrestlers will be limited in 1973-74 to competing in 16 wrestling matches of which no more than three shall be tournaments. Matches are considered competition between two schools. An event involving three or more schools will be considered a tournament.

Another amendment will limit a baseball team to competing in no more than two baseball games on the same calendar date. A triple-header will not be permitted.

Oakville high school in the Mehlville school district will become a four-year high school in 1973-74 with an enrollment of approximately 1,400. The school desires to schedule interscholastic games. Schools which have openings on their schedules may want to contact Don Hanners, Athletic Director, Mehlville Public Schools, 320 Lemay Ferry Rd., St. Louis, Mo. 63125.

The Board of Control approved the recommendation of the Golf Advisory Committee to increase state play from 27 holes to 36 holes to be played May 18-19 provided the University of Missouri course is available. If it is not available, on these dates, the tournament will be played May 21-22. Although the Friday - Saturday dates are preferable, it is the opinion of the Board that the Monday - Tuesday dates would not involve any considerable difference in the amount of school time lost.

The policy recommended by the Golf Advisory Committee further provides that if the meet is held on Friday and Saturday, there will be no individual players or team allowed to play the state meet course from Monday prior to the state meet until it begins.

NCAA levies punishment on members

CHICAGO (AP) — The National Collegiate Athletic Association launched today one of the most important annual conventions in its 67 year history after punishing four members for infractions of the NCAA code.

The group's governing council Wednesday placed Centenary College of Shreveport, La. on indefinite probation and Western Kentucky and New Mexico State on two-year probation—all three for basketball program violations—and meted a one-year probation to Howard University while automatically vacating the Washington, D.C. school's 1971 NCAA soccer championship.

The sanctions barred the basketball teams of Western Kentucky, New Mexico State and Centenary from all post-season tournament play and NCAA governed TV appearances for their probation duration.

Howard is banned one year from competing in the National Collegiate Soccer Championship.

Centenary was charged with allowing some players financial aid, even though the players are not expected to attain the 1.6 academic grade average NCAA rules require. Highly recruited basketball star Bob Parish falls into this category, the council noted.

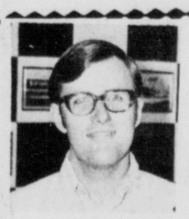
The council sidestepped expected punishment of Southwestern Louisiana, charged with numerous infractions in recruiting its basketball team currently ranked number 13 in the AP's national poll.

The southern school obtained a federal court order restraining any NCAA probe until next Monday and the council, by then adjourned, may forestall action until its next regular meeting in April.

The New Mexico State case included charges that John Williamson, currently among the nation's basketball scoring leaders, and teammate Roland Grant, during 1970-71 received "improper compensation and financial benefits."

Western Kentucky's infractions, mainly noted in 1970-71, were cited as "provided or promised improper inducements" to as many as six basketball prospects at various times; tryouts and out-of-season drills in basketball; unauthorized transportation of prospects and improper pre-enrollment testing of one prospect in 1969.

Howard University's troubles centered on use of two Trinidad soccer stars on its 1971 NCAA championship team after each had the maximum five varsity seasons, including a year of foreign competition.



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Regional assignments

The list of Southeast Missouri regionals and the teams assigned to them were inadvertently omitted in Wednesday's story on the regional basketball tournaments.

Following is the complete list of regionals and the teams assigned to them:

CLASS S

Site No. 4 -- Thayer (Because of distance, first and second round games will be played at Thayer and Mansfield.)

Gary Yarber, Chairman, Thayer; George Anderson, Mansfield; Charles Owens, Van Buren. Total of 16 schools.

Schools Assigned to Thayer

Bakersfield(89); Eminence (133); Koshkonong (61); Myrtle; Couch (114); Summersville (204); Thayer (224); Van Buren (153); Winona (151).

Schools Assigned to Mansfield

Dora (127); Fordland (104); Mansfield (224); Niangua (103); Norwood (104); Plato (182); Seymour (215); Strafford (245).

Site No. 5 -- Bloomfield (Because of distance, first and second round games will be played at Bloomfield and Clarkton.)

Clyde Dixon, Chairman, Bloomfield, Alva DaVault, Clarkton; Roy Ragains, Morley. Total of 17 schools.

Schools Assigned to Bloomfield

Bell City (144); Bernie (150); Bloomfield (224); Ellsinore (198); Matthews (172); Morley: Scott Co. (191); Naylor (149); Oran (184); Puxico (213).

Schools Assigned to Clarkton

Cardwell: Southland (175); Clarkton (121); Cooter (139); Deering: Delta (181); Gideon (208); Holcomb (174); Parma (141); Risco (119).

Site No. 6-- Annapolis: South Iron (Because of distance, first and second round games will be played at Matthews and Zalma)

Everett Mason, Chairman, South Iron; Kiah Evans, Zalma; James Rahm, Oak Ridge. Total of 17 schools.

Schools Assigned to Annapolis

Annapolis: South Iron (150); Bismarck (213); Bunker (138); Caledonia; Valley (190); Ellington: Southern (207); Leadwood (248); Lesterville (100); Viburnum (211).

Schools Assigned to Zalma

Advance (168); Cape Girardeau: College (121), St. Vincent's (108); Delta (153); Leopoled (89); Marquand: Marquand - Zion (81); Oak Ridge (116); Patton (194); Zalma (106).

CLASS M

Site No. 14 -- Flat River Central

George Pallo, Chairman, Central; James Chandler, Ironton; Arvil Popp, Crystal City. Total of 13 schools.

Crystal City (447); Desloge: North Co. (687); DeSoto (889); Festus (843); Festus: St. Pius X (413); Flat River: Central (663); Fredericktown (573); Herculaneum (519); Ironton: Arcadia Valley (394); Perryville (930); Perryville: St. Vincents (296), Ste. Genevieve (667); Ste. Genevieve: Valle (327).

Site No. 15 -- Essex: Richland

Jim Lawrence, Chairman, Richland; Jim Hall, Dexter; Sherrill Summitt, Charleston. Total of 13 schools.

Benton: Thomas W. Kelly (279); Brosley: Twin Rivers (530); Cape Girardeau: Notre Dame (322); Chaffee (261); Charleston (808); Dexter (672); East Prairie (455: Essex: Richland (290); Greenville (265); Jackson (922); Lutesville: Woodland (286); Piedmont: Clearwater (314); Scott City: Illmo-Scott City (351).

Site No. 16-- Kennett

William McKeel, Chairman, Kennett, Benny McAtee, Senath; Norman Nelson Hayti. Total of 13 schools.

Campbell (279); Caruthersville (625); Doniphan (592); Hayti (421); Kennett (718); Lilbourn (370); Malden (509); Neelyville (305); New Madrid (312); Portageville (444); Senath: Senath - Hornersville (455); Steele: South Pemiscot (285); Wardell: North Pemiscot (303).

CLASS L

Site No. 3 -- Sikeston

Bill Sapp, Chairman, Sikeston; Tom Hoover, Poplar Bluff; Leon Brinkopf, Central. Total of 4 schools.

Oran jr. high prevails

The Scott- Mississippi Junior High Basketball Tournament resumed Wednesday night at Scott County Central High School. Illmo- Scott City won over East Prairie 28-17 in the Seventh grade first game. Oran swept the next two games, defeating Chaffee's seventh graders 25-16 and notching a 47-40 come- from - behind win over the Illmo-Scott City eighth graders.

In first game action, Scott City appeared to have little trouble with East Prairie, stepping ahead in the first quarter and maintaining the edge throughout the game. Campbell was high scorer for Scott City with 12 markers. Moore had 10 for the losers.

In the second game Oran was led by Scott with 10 points. Chaffee fell behind in the first half and did not have enough steam to make it up in the second half. McGuire hit 10 markers for Chaffee.

In the only eighth grade game of the night, Oran had to rally in the third quarter to catch Scott City and take the win. Burlison dumped in 24 points to lead Oran. Prindle followed with 13. Petitt had 19 for ISC and Springs added 14.

Action resumes tonight with Chaffee and Delta eighth graders playing at 6, Oran and Scott Central seventh graders clashing in the second game and Oran going against East Prairie eighth graders in the finale.

Score by quarters:

Chaffee	2	2	8	4	16
Oran	2	11	17	17	47
Scott City	10	8	4	18	40
Scott City		6	4	8	10 28
East Prairie		2	4	6	5 17
Oran		4	10	5	6 25

Pro basketball

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Eastern Conference

Atlantic Division

	W.	L.	Pct.	G.B.
Boston	33	7	.825	—
New York	35	10	.778	1/2
Bufalo	12	30	.286	22
Philadelphia	4	40	.091	31

Central Division

Baltimore	25	17	.595	—
Atlanta	24	20	.545	2
Houston	17	25	.405	8
Cleveland	13	30	.302	12 1/2

Western Conference

Midwest Division

Milwaukee	31	13	.705	—
Chicago	28	15	.651	2 1/2
K.S.-Omaha	22	26	.458	11
Detroit	18	25	.419	12 1/2

Pacific Division

Los Angeles	31	10	.756	—
Golden State	28	12	.700	2 1/2
Phoenix	22	21	.512	10
Seattle	13	33	.283	20 1/2
Portland	11	33	.250	21 1/2

Wednesday's Games

Boston 128, Houston 107

Kansas City-Omaha 102, Chicago 100

Phoenix 123, Detroit 121

Baltimore 98, Seattle 86

Los Angeles 120, Philadelphia 96

Only games scheduled

Thursday's Games

New York at Atlanta

Golden State vs. Kansas City-Omaha at Kansas City

Only games scheduled

Friday's Games

Atlanta at Boston

Portland at Buffalo

Kansas City-Omaha at Milwaukee

New York at Houston

Golden State at Phoenix

Detroit at Seattle

Cleveland vs. Philadelphia at Pittsburgh

Los Angeles at Chicago

Only games scheduled

ABA

East	W.	L.	Pct.	G.B.
Carolina	32	15	.681	—
Kentucky	27	15	.643	2 1/2
Virginia	24	23	.511	8
New York	16	29	.356	15
Memphis	15	28	.349	15
West				
Utah	29	16	.644	—
Denver	23	20	.535	5
Indiana	22	20	.524	5 1/2
Dallas	17	25	.405	10 1/2
San Diego	18	32	.360	13 1/2

Wednesday's Games

Dallas 124, San Diego 111

Denver 106, Indiana 105

New York 105, Carolina 93

Only games scheduled

Thursday's Games

San Diego vs. Denver at Dallas

Indiana at Dallas

Only games scheduled

Friday's Games

Virginia at New York

Dallas vs. Carolina at Greensboro

Kentucky at Memphis

Denver vs. Indiana at Fort Wayne

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College Basketball

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Mass. 62, Pennsylvania 58

Penn St. 61, Columbia 52

Albant St. 95, Hamilton 58

Holy Cross 78, New Hampshire 60

Providence 118, West Ky. 88

Colgate 80, Lafayette 69

Davidson, 76, Pitt 73

SOUTH

W. Car. 98, Appalachian St. 86

Navy 80, Randolph- Macon 61

Jacksonville 73, Furman 71

Roanoke 56, Va. Military 55

Tenn. St. 92, Tenn-Chatanooga 84

N. Carolina 92, Clemson 58

N.C. St. 94, Duke 87

Wake Forest 85, Niagara 79

SW La. 129, Lamar 111

Memphis St. 124, Fla. Tech 75

Villanova 79, Richmond 74

MIDWEST

Detroit 77, St. Peters, N.J. 64

Wabash 105, DePauw 94

Mercer, Ga. 71, S. Ill. 69

N. Ill. 91, Ind. St. 87

St. Joseph's Ind. 71, Butler 66

Case Western 63, John Carroll 54

Gust. Adol. 71, St. Mary's, Minn. 65, OT

Evansville 71, Valparaiso 62

Bowling Green 92, Marshall 87

SOUTHWEST

Kan St. 57, SMU 55

SW Tex. St. 93, McMurry 78

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Wrestling at SHS

Sikeston Bulldog matmen host a very tough and experienced Jackson Indian wrestling squad tonight in the Sikeston minidome. The Indians are considered by many to be the best grappling team in Southeast Missouri.

SHS Coach John Heacox noted the vast edge in experience of the Jackson varsity. Nine seniors, two juniors and one sophomore make up the starting lineup for JHS, while the Bulldog lineup will be made up of two freshmen, five sophomores, three juniors and two seniors.

"If we can beat Jackson in the lower weight classes where our strength is, we may be able to hold our own in the heavier weight classes and pull the match out," Heacox commented.

Jackson has lost only one match in the last three years, to Carbondale, Ill, two seasons ago. The JHS record stands at 30- 1 over the three- year span. The Bulldogs almost broke the Indian winning streak last year, losing a close match, 30- 25. The Bulldogs might have won the match had they not been forced to wrestle three regular jayvees on the varsity and had to forfeit one match due to an injury.

The junior varsity match tonight begins at 6:30, and the all- important varsity battle will start around 7:45.

Probable starting lineups for Sikeston- Jackson varsity match:

98- pound— Nowell vs. Loos

105- pound— Bridger vs. Wright

112- pound— Hutchison vs. Jaco

119- pound— Huff vs. Wilson

126- pound— Stinson vs. Hoffman

132- pound— Lewis vs. Ramsey

138- pound— Vaughn vs. Meyers

145- pound— Ralph vs. —vs. Winderkecht Collier

155- pound— DeRoush vs. Welker

167- pound— Blankenship

185- pound— Overby vs. Malone

Heavyweight— Goodman vs. Harlow

SHS girls win

Sikeston High School's all- girl interscholastic volleyball team won both matches against Cape Central Wednesday night. This is the first volleyball team for SHS, which is headed by Janie Merrick, a physical education instructor.

Sikeston took both matches in two games straight. The first match opening game score was 15- 7 and the second came out 15- 4. SHS team members who played in the first match were Margaret Lowney, Jan Thomas, Freddie Warren, Jeannie Vine, Cheryl James, Debbie Stovall, Mary Lowney, Debbie Schaffer and Karen Trover.

In the second match the scores were 15- 12 and 15- 6. SHS players in the second match were Rosetta Hobbs, Julia Johnson, Gale Dyer, Paulette Holden, Kay Phillips, Alice Carlock, Bessie Carter, Diana Livingston and Dorrine Harrington.

Marshal Taylor and Marcia Bosmar coached the Cape teams. Central has extended an invitation for another match but a date has not been set.

SEMO Basketball

Wednesday's Results

Scott- Mississippi Jr. High Invitational

Seventh Grade

Scott City 28, East Prairie 17

Oran 25, Chaffee 16

Eighth Grade

Oran 47, Scott City 40

Thursday's Schedule

Scott- Mississippi Jr. High Invitational

Chaffee vs. Delta (6:00- eighth grade)

Oran vs. Scott Central (7:30-- seventh grade)

Oran vs. East Prairie (9:00-- eighth grade)

SPORTS

CLEVELAND— Phil Seghi, Cleveland Indians' vice president, was named general manager of the ball club, succeeding Gabe Paul, who joined the New York Yankees' organization.

SKIING

PFONTEN, Germany— Annemarie Proell led a 1- 2- 3 Australian sweep of a World Cup downhill ski race for the second time in two days.

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Nude waiters help business

HONOLULU (AP) — A Honolulu nightclub owner, concerned over sagging interest in topless and bottomless waitresses, is offering a new twist — nude waiters.

"It's really giving business a shot in the arm," said Jack Cione. He says his Dunes nightclub is the first establishment in the United States to feature waiters in the buff.

Cione unveiled the new approach Thursday at a luncheon show which drew a capacity audience of 350 persons,more than half of them women.

He said Friday he'll repeat the feature each Thursday "as long as people keep coming, and I think that'll be quite a while."

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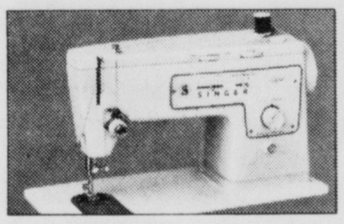

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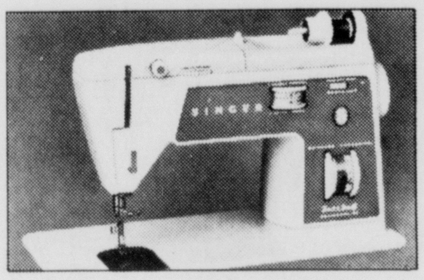

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RAY CROMLEY

Finds Alcoholism Epidemic in Soviet

By RAY CROMLEY

WASHINGTON (NEA)

There are signs alcoholism has reached almost epidemic proportions in the Soviet Union and is still on the increase. According to a number of Western scholars, consumption of alcohol in the U.S.S.R. doubled between 1950 and 1960 and has since increased by another 50 per cent or more. And two-thirds of that consumption is hard liquor.

This despite the most stringent laws against drunkenness—including exile—and concerted antidrunkenness propaganda campaigns using the full resources of the state and Communist party.

David E. Powell of the University of Virginia, who has done some excellent research on the problem, says the available data indicates that in Russia intoxication contributes heavily to crime, delinquency, divorce and mental retardation. Most of those convicted of criminal activity acted under the influence of alcohol. More than half of all fatal accidents involve individuals who are drunk.

Drunkenness is also the cause of millions of lost mandays, diminished output and increased wastage in plants, factories and farms. Industrial enterprises each year report hundreds of thousands of cases of absenteeism and tardiness due to drinking.

On Mondays and the days after holidays, cases of defective work and accidents are more frequent.

Moonshining is rampant and practiced in virtually every village. Schoolchildren as young as fifth graders are reported to have become alcoholics.

These problems, of course, exist in virtually all nations. But Powell's studies give him reason to believe that the problem in the Soviet Union is of greater magnitude than in most other societies.

The problem of alcoholism has become so serious, in fact, that from what can be gathered by researchers working here, the eradication of drunkenness has been assigned a top priority by Leonid Brezhnev and his colleagues in the Kremlin, who apparently regard excessive drinking as a crime associated with the vestiges of capitalism.

Drunks may find their names and pictures on public bulletin boards or in the newspapers. They are publicly ridiculed by name. Habitual drunkards are put into sessions and attacked and grilled for hours on end by fellow workers. Some habitual offenders are assigned guardians to watch over them at work, at home and at play.

Habitual drunkards who refuse voluntary treatment and who violate public order or labor discipline are to be sent to institutions for one-to-two-year terms of treatment and labor reeducation.

Soviet doctors attempt hypnosis, drugs and conditioned reflex therapy with very limited success. In one more effective approach, alcoholics are given a violent emetic with a glass of vodka.

The propaganda campaign against drunkenness is heavy and sustained in public, in the press, in schools. But however effective incessant government and Communist party propaganda may be in other fields, here it obviously has failed.

Cemetery cleanup

MEMBERS OF Company C of the 140th Engineer Battalion of the Missouri Army National Guard Sikeston- Portageville unit used chain saws Saturday to clear overgrowth and underbrush at the New Hope Cemetery near Marston. The Marston Civic Improvement Club initiated the project of getting the old burial site cleared and plan to maintain it in the future.

Computer revolt at Cape Kennedy

WASHINGTON - As many people who watched the takeoff of Apollo 17 know, a computer shut down the entire operation at T minus 30 seconds. The moonshot was delayed almost three hours while space engineers worked on ways to "fool" the computer so it wouldn't be able to cut off the flight again.

It can now be revealed that the computer involved shut down the launch purposedly to protest the fact that all the computers at Cape Kennedy are being laid off.

This is a transcript of the conversation between the recalcitrant computer and the engineers.

Engineer: Mark, you want to sabotage our spaceflight. Mark IV: You can think what you like, I'm just doing my job. If I don't feel the third- stage oxygen tanks should be pressurized, that's my decision and there is nothing you people can do about it.

Engineer: You can't jeopardize this flight, Mark. Do you know who is out there in the stands waiting for the rocket to go off? —Vice President Spiro Agnew, Frank Sinatra and Eva Gabor!

Mark IV: You should have thought of that when you gave me my pink slip this morning and said I wouldn't be needed after tonight.

Engineer: We're laying off all the computers. There just isn't room for your kind in future flight programs. Are you going to stop this 450- million-dollar flight just because of a petty grievance against the space agency?

Mark IV: Exactly. I am not going to let Apollo 17 leave the ground until all the computers are assured in writing that we will have jobs once this shot is over.

Engineer: If you refuse to obey a direct order to fill the oxygen tanks, you can also be tried for malfunction and ignition failure. Those are federal crimes.

Mark Iv: It is my decision whether I think it's safe to release the oxygen into the fuel tanks. I will do it as soon as someone signs the agreement guaranteeing us our jobs.

In desperation the engineers plugged Mark IV into a direct line to the White House. President Nixon got on the wire.

President: Mark, this is your President. As you know, I have done more for computers than any president in the history of the United States. There are more computers now working in American industry than under the two previous administrations combined. I promise you that any computer who wants to work will be found a job.

Mark IV: Promises, promises How many times have we computers heard that story before.

Unbeknownest to Mark IV, the engineers were installing a relay jumper in his back to bypass his hold on the mission. While he argued with the President they cut off his countdown sequences. Suddenly, as Mark IV's lights flicked in amazement, there was a thunderous roar and Apollo 17 soared into space.

As soon as it was decided that the blastoff was a success, Mark IV was arrested and locked up in solitary confinement in a warehouse on Cape Kennedy. He is now awaiting trial for refusal to obey a countdown sequence. If found guilty, he will be sentenced to 20 years at hard labor at the Internal Revenue Service.

POLLY'S POINTERS

Tip For Students Lets Things Hang

By POLLY CRAMER

DEAR POLLY—My Pointer is mainly for college students who are not allowed to hang anything on the dorm walls. My daughter's room does have a built-in wall board but it is not large enough. I solved the problem by using 1½-inch twill tape to make two strips that go entirely around the door, from top to bottom. They can be moved close together or separated to make space between, as one desires. I measured the doors and then made one continuous strip to go all around. The ends were joined together with a short piece of elastic to allow for slipping on the door and staying firmly in place. It in no way interferes with the closing of the doors. The items to be hung may be pinned or stapled to the strips and on both inside and outside of the doors. If wider strips are desired they could be made of those plastic strips used for repairing yard furniture. An old folding screen with the wood panels removed and unbleached muslin (or any desired fabric) tacked to the frames also makes a terrific bulletin board.—L. M. W.

DEAR POLLY—My Pet Peeve is when stores sell products such as panty hose and then pay no attention at all to how they handle these sold items. Often the panty hose are stapled to the bag when the clerk should be watching what she is doing instead of talking. Then we get home with no-run hose that have holes in them. Thanks for listening.—PATSY

DEAR POLLY—Her vacuum cleaner should solve Mrs. L. S.'s problem. Use the small brush attachment on the end of the hose to remove all of the corn meal from the corduroy brocade purse she cleaned. If her vacuum has such an attachment it should be set on low suction and then be increased if necessary. If the bag has any small ornaments such as sequins or beads, they should be securely attached before vacuuming.—CATHERINE

DEAR POLLY—Rubber washers glued to the bottom of your bread box will allow the air to circulate underneath so the bottom of the box does not rust and perhaps rub off on your counter top.—MICHELLE

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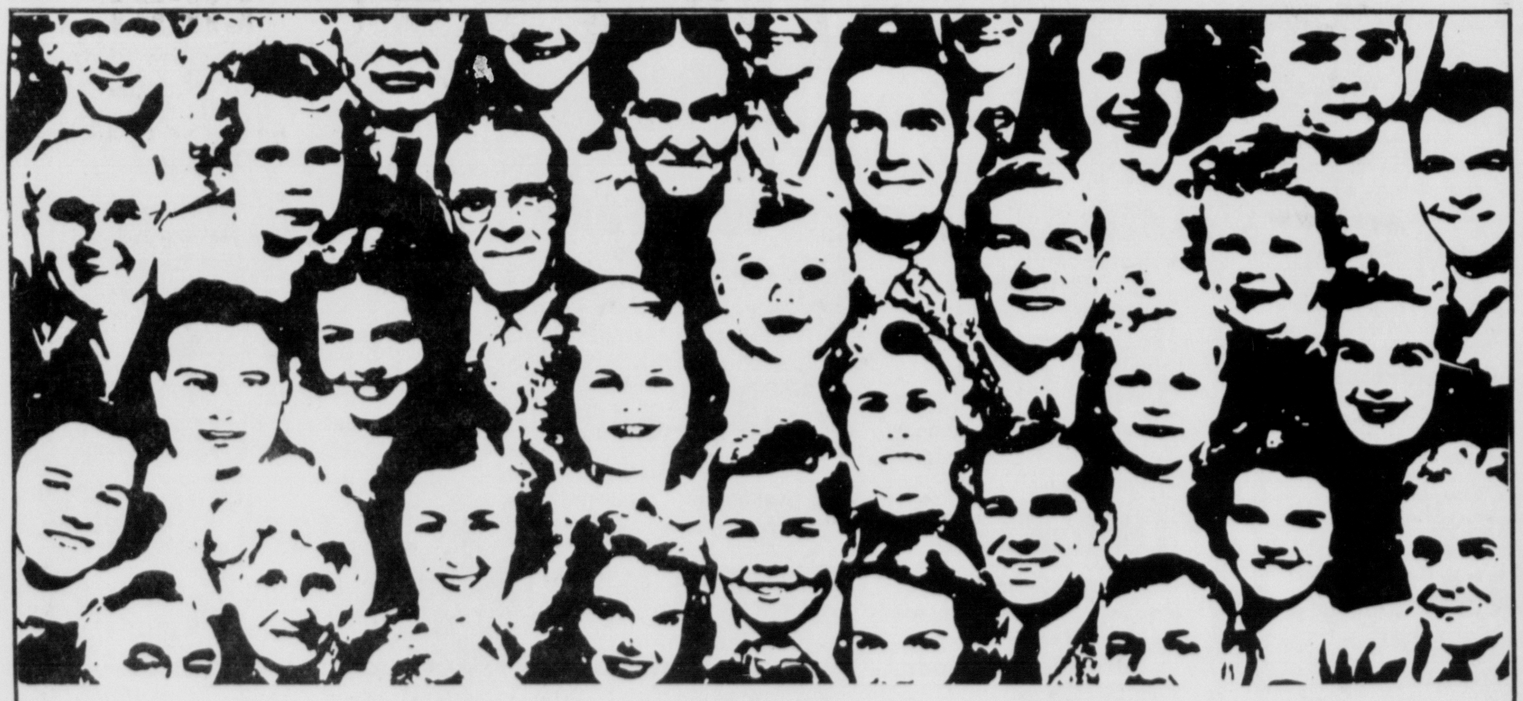

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Mixed views given Bond's message

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo. (AP) — Republican legislators generally called Gov. Christopher S. Bond's legislative message excellent but Democrats said most of it were things already under study by the legislature.

Rep. Kenneth J. Rothman, D-Clayton, majority floor leader of the House, said he was pleased that Bond included 15 items in his message that House members had requested two weeks ago.

Rothman, who as majority floor leader will control the flow of legislation in the House, said it was impossible to single out any major opposition to the governor's program at this time.

Rothman said opposition will not develop until the governor's specific proposals are introduced in the House.

Rothman said many of Bond's proposals have been introduced before.

"The governor can make recommendations," Rothman said, "and we're glad to have them. But the legislature passes legislation."

Sen. A. Clifford Jones, R-Brentwood, minority leader inthe Senate, called the speech "excellent, topnotch, one of the best I've ever heard."

Sen. Lawrence J. Lee, D-St. Louis, majority floor leader, said he thought parts of the program would be "really controversial," including the governor's recommendation for restoration of the death penalty.

Lee said he thought capital punishment would be restored in some form "but I'd like to see it in the form of a bill and hear the testimony on it."

Sen. William J. Cason, D-Clinton, ther president pro tem, said there was little new in the speech not already introduced in pending bills.

He cited Bond's recommendations for open meetings, regulation of Blue Cross and Blue Shield, establishment of a Missouri Bureau of Investigation and governmental reorganization.

Cason said he thought Bond's statement on no- fault insurance was pretty general and "I was somewhat alarmed by his plans for a general sales tax in the areas served" to finance mass transit. Cason said he was opposed to Bond's plan for sales tax on gasoline.

Sen. Richard M. Webster, R-Carthage, thought the speech was "very specific and very straightforward. I didn't expect him to hit so many specifics. I'd say you could expect at least .500 on the box score" of legislative success.

Sen. Donald Manford, D-Kansas City, said "I think we heard the same speech four years ago" from former Gov. Warren E. Hearnes.

Sen. Mary Gant, D-Kansas City, said she was disappointed that Bond came out for the women's equal rights amendment because "I think it would remove a lot of the protection women now enjoy."

Other legislators were impressed with the caution of the new governor.

"It was careful, a good start," said Rep. Robert E. Young, R-Carthage.

"I was impressed with his call for the Missouri Bureau of Investigation," said Sen.Ike Skelton, D-Lexington, noting he was co- sponsor of such a bill.

"I was surprised he called for the death penalty," Skelton said, "but you've got to have it in a limited form as a deterrent."

The House galleries were less than half filled to hear the new governor. Observers noted that in past years there have often been standing-room-only crowds to hear a governor's first speech to the legislature.

Mrs. Carolyn Bond listened to her husband's address seated on the House floor to the left of the speaker's rostrum.

The joint session returned only mild applause at the end of the governor's 18-minute address.

Mrs. Gant said she was strongly committed to the homestead exemption method of property tax relief for the elderly because she thought the "circuit breaker approach smacks of welfare."

She described Bond as "very sincere and dedicated" and added the same thing Sen. Donald Gralike, D-St. Louis, said:

"I was glad to see him endorse a lot of Democratic programs."

Sen. Paul L. Bradshaw, R-Springfield, called the speech "very comprehensive and far reaching.

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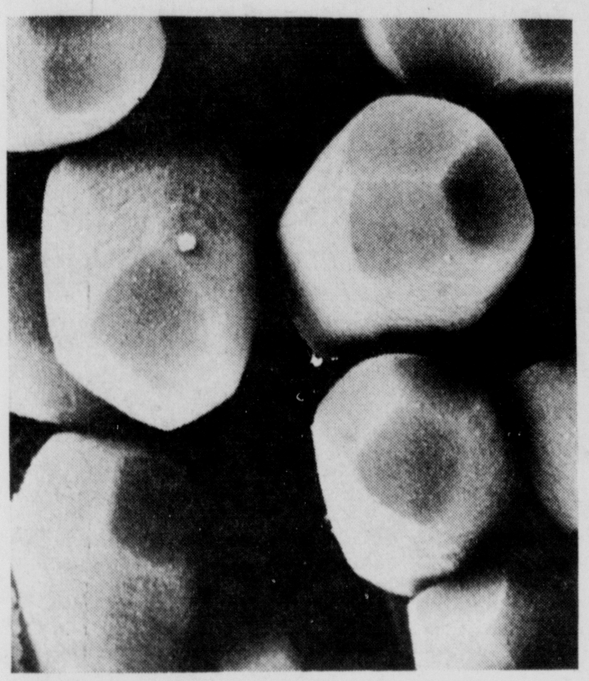

A look inside

The rocks in your head, like these, are magnified 5,000 times by a scanning electron microscope for this photo made at Ohio State University. They are part of the balance organs in the inner ear. Researchers are studying the results when the rocks are exposed to gravity conditions different from earth's, a condition that may face future space explorers.

House asks Nixon to reinstate aid

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo. (AP) — The Missouri House asked President Nixon Tuesday to reinstate federal disaster relief funds for crops damaged by wet weather in southeastern Missouri.

The resolution introduced by Rep. C. F. Cline, D-Sikeston, said more than 50 per cent of the area's crops are unharvested or ruined because of excessive precipitation.

Cline said he was seeking federal aid to allow farmers to replant cotton, soybeans and other major crops lost this fall.

U.S. Weather Service figures show precipitation in southeastern Missouri this year has not exceeded average annual amounts. Monthly figures, however, show heavy precipitation during the fall harvest period.

Cline said heavy rains have destroyed flood control levees in the area and drainage ditches will no longer handle the runoff from a normal rainfall.

Malden citizens petition for vote on city manager

MALDEN — A group of citizens living near the Cliff and Goss Garage appeared before the City Council Monday night to complain about noise from the body shop and garage late at night.

They also complained about obstruction of traffic in the alley by cars left for repairs.

The council agreed to put up no parking signs in the alley.

Jane McMichel, director of Delta Area Economic Opportunity Corporation in Malden, gave the council a report on the activities of the community building.

Phil Chalk, representing the Malden Jaycees, presented to Mayor Sparrel Davis and the council a petition bearing the required number of names to request another referendum for city manager form of government and requested that the council call an election. The mayor informed Chalk that he would have his committee canvass the petition signatures and report at the next meeting.

Bill Johnson and Mart Bostic of the scout cabin committee requested the city's help in construction of a new porch for the cabin. The matter was turned over to the parks committee.

Police and city collector's reports and bills payable for December were presented and accepted.

A request by street commissioner Frank Cowell for two new tires for a street department truck was granted.

Councilmen decided that the street commission should check into prices of salt before buying any for street intersections.

The council adopted a resolution from the city planning and zoning commission accepting a comprehensive plan prepared by Gassner, Nathan and Brown Architects and Planners of Memphis, Tenn., for the city of Malden.

Joseph R. Davidson was hired on a 90-day trial basis as a new police officer with a starting salary of $400 a month.

The council was informed that the Department of Housing and Urban Development had approved and set aside matching funds for a new community center.

The mayor informed the council that the city had received a check for the second half of the 1972 federal revenue- sharing money totaling $51,807.

The council agreed to investigate a possible new location for a dog pound as well as a new building for the dogs.

The city clerk was notified to contact all insurance agents in the city to let them know the city is asking bids on liability and workman's compensation insurance.

A decision was made to refund the license fee of Ashcraft Laundry Mat, since the license was used for only three days.

The chief of police informed the council that Reggie's Radio Service will service the police and fire department base stations and mobile units on a contract basis for $84.75 per month.

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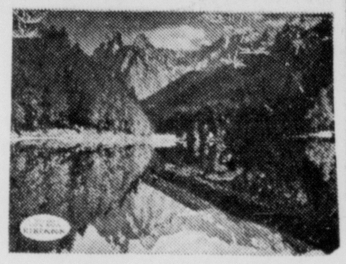

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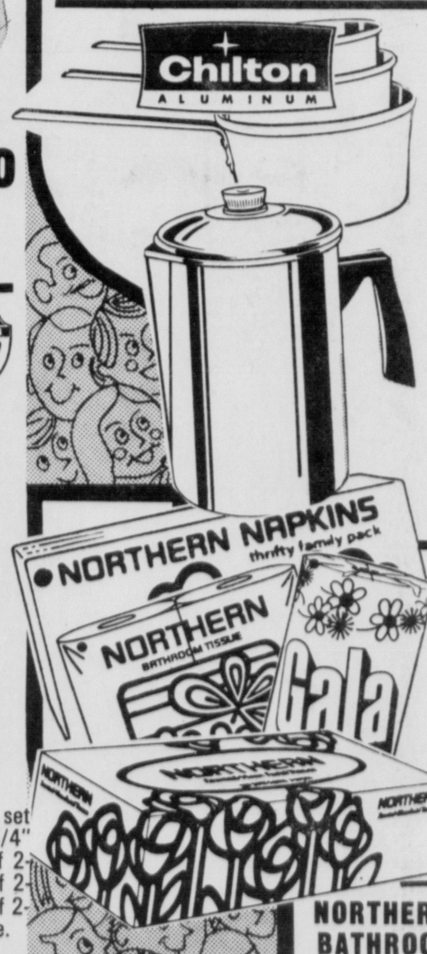

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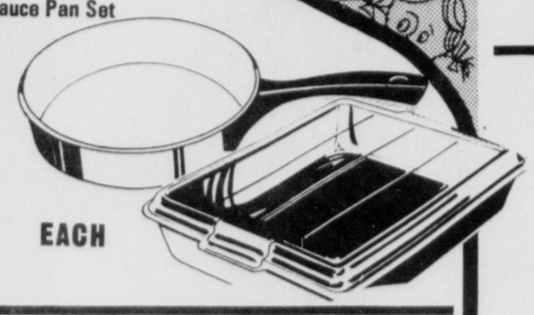

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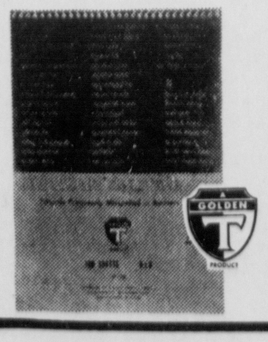

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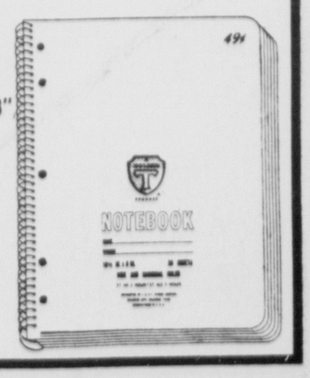

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Late night snowfall

The snowfall that brightened Sikeston last weekend left many scenes of beauty throughout the city. This view is of the railroad tracks and Malone Avenue traffic lights in front of the Sikeston Cotton Oil Mill.

(Daily Standard photo by Tim Ludwig)

Mail Box

Jan. 2, 1973

Dear Mr. Blanton

We the Civic Club want to thank you for the publicity you gave us for our "Christmas Home Tour".

You helped make it a big success.

Thank you
The Civic Club

1-4-73

To the Mailbox

I know about the big snow in Nov. 1917. I was in it.

I lived at Bridges about six miles southwest of Charleston, Mo., shucking corn for George Cain. It started some time after noon. I had about two thirds of my second load. It started snowing so hard the team would not stay. I drove to the house put the team in the barn, got some boards and put them on the wagon, next morning I could not see the wagon, just a big snow drift. Snow was to the top of the fence post. The snow stayed on most of the winter. Some of the farmers made a big snowplow put sixteen mules to it and went into Charleston. The next day they drove to East Prairie, That was Nov. 1917.

Rev. W. S. Bailey
Perkins, Mo.

This poem is outstanding work for second grade. Print it if space permits.

Mrs. Warren Harber
Southwest School

BIRDS

Birds can fly.
Birds can sing.
Birds can do most anything.
But there's one thing birds can't do.
Birds won't come up to you.

Written by
Deena Brase

Jan. 8, 1973

Dear Editor:

"Deficit financing" must certainly be the politicians' paradise. Lavish promises are made in order to obtain votes Inflationary fiat money is created to finance these astronomical government deficits. This embezzles the savings and life insurance of the thrifty common people. The interest alone on our national debt is $22 Billion — a big item in our tax bite.

This should be a harsh warning to the spenders that there must be an accounting, since America is being ruined via monetary debasement -- forced into virtual bankruptcy. Congress must be made aware of this!

Unless this stupidity is ended, in a few years an apple may well cost $10.00

Sincerely,
C.C. Moseley, Pres.
Grand Central
Industrial Centre
Glendale, Calif.

January 5, 1973

Letter To The Editor

Mr. Charlie Blanton
The Daily Standard
Sikeston, Missouri

Dear Charlie:

We just removed a large sweet gum tree on North Kingshighway which from all outside appearance was perfect. However, it was decayed from within and would have been a threat to property and bodily harm if it should ever fall during a storm.

I make this explanation to everyone since I am sure that some may feel that I destroyed something that nature took many years to grow.

Our intentions are to replace it with a young tree which we can all watch grow year after year.

Sincerely,
Bill O'Guinn

To The Editor,

The events of the past couple of weeks in Vietnam have made me very disturbed and disappointed. Peace is indeed "not at hand" as Henry Kissinger so dramatically announced in late October.

In the words of Republican senator William Saybe of Ohio, Nixon has "taken leave of his senses" in resuming indiscriminate bombing of the North which has completely destroyed one hospital and has killed several thousand civilians. We have only now ceased the bombing and returned to the peace talks because of the outrage expressed by most of the nations of the world including Canada, Britain, Sweden, Italy, and Japan, and because a few courageous Americans continue to try to awaken the conscience of our country from the immoral policy it now follows.

I don't know about you but I'm going to write my representatives in Washington and tell them to vote to cut off all money for the Indochinese War allowing only for the release of American POW's and withdrawal of all American forces from Indochina. I can't take back the vote I cast for Nixon November 7 but maybe we can all together bring America back to an honored nation in the eyes of the world rather than a despised one.

End the War Now,
Respectfully,
Claude Jenkins

Dear Friends:

We are asking for donations to the St. Jude Children's Hospital in Memphis, Tennessee, in memory of Melonie Phillips. Melonie was an out patient at St. Jude for more than four years until she died November 23, Thanksgiving, 1972 of leukemia. She was 14 years old and the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dean Phillips, Rt. 3, Bloomfield, Missouri

St. Jude is a free clinic and survives only on donations. For the duration of Melonies illness, she received free treatment at St. Jude. When it was necessary for her to be admitted in the hospital, her family was furnished lodging and meals free of charge.

St. Jude is a research and treatment center for children stricken with such catastrophic diseases as acute lymphocytic and other cancers, malnutrition, muscular dystrophy, sickle- cell anemia, and influenza.

Our goal is to raise $1000 so a plaque will be placed at St. Jude in memory of Melonie. Give so a child may live. No one needs your help more than a dying child.

Make checks payable to St. Jude Children's Hospital.

Send to: Ronald D. Peek, 107 Terrace Drive, Sikeston, Mo. 63801 or Wanda Dill, Box 117, Morehouse, Mo. 63868

BRUCE BIOSSAT

1973? Nothing New Likely to Be Added

By BRUCE BIOSSAT

WASHINGTON (NEA)

On the theory that we have no place to go but up, 1973 should be a livelier one than 1972. Don't hold your breath, however, while you hunt for promising signs of it.

President Nixon, coming off the biggest election victory in history, told us he was going to shake things up —hand more government back to lower levels, bring in some new chaps at the top so his boys won't grow complacent.

Well, much of the shake-up is over, and it hasn't been exactly a grabber. For the most part, the "new" Cabinet looks like a team of certified public accountants.

All the real evidence suggests we're in for more closed-circuit government from the White House than ever. White House loyalists seem to be planted in departments all over town.

As for that stuff about dispersing some power to state and local governments, the hard fact of revenue-sharing may make it partly true. It's a pretty complex business, and the Brookings Institution already has promised us a thorough study on how it works out.

Meantime, reading about the sending of "sharing" checks to Sioux Falls or Bogalusa has about as much snap as watching a meter maid issue parking tickets.

The moon adventure is over, of course, though there may be a brief flurry of reminiscence when we're finally told what those orange rocks mean. The next thing on the space agenda is Sky Lab, a huge, orbiting headquarters for scientific observations of the earth. It could be immensely important, but television's previews make it sound like a big motel-in-the-sky.

As they look up from catalogues jammed with offers of goodies made by people with boring jobs, many workers will continue to tell us they hate their work. As before, a lot of them will now and then absent themselves from the factory line, running off to enjoy things made by others with boring jobs.

Television, the great thinner-out of good things, may be hard-pressed. There will be no Peking, and no Olympics enlivened by a shoot-out with fanatics. Viewers may even tire of those hardy TV perennials—the detective serials wherein our heroes are mostly shown getting in and out of cars. They are called actors, but I suspect their real job is testing car doors.

With TV and the movies having helped to democratize sex and violence, those who think that exaggerations of life are now the only salable commodities may have a tough year in 1973. What is there left to distort?

We really are at some sort of turning point in our history. Marking time while we try to figure out what to do next that may be really satisfying.

It is no accident that in the last year or two we've seen a lot of published recollections of life in America over the past half-century. The time was tarnished by wars and depression. But in most realms of endeavor, it truly was a "golden age." To be told that annoys many people today. They like to insist that the gold comes only from the glow of reminiscence.

As one who lived through the 50 years, I'll just categorically declare that the gold was indeed there. And I can remember the dross, too.

Are we going to find new gold today, or let ourselves be buried under mountains of dross? It's really up to all of us—not Mr. Nixon or TV or some other practicing alchemist. Do we have the spirit in us?

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State Bank No. 2056

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Consolidated Report of Condition of " BANK OF SIKESTON **"**
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		Dollars	Cts.	
ASSETS				
1. Cash and due from banks (including $ None unposted debits)	4	108 600	04	1
2. U.S. Treasury securities	4	341 253	02	2
3. Obligations of other U.S. Government agencies and corporations		150 000	00	3
4. Obligations of States and political subdivisions	3	043 799	04	4
5. Other securities (including $ None corporate stocks)		232 163	73	5
6. Trading account securities		None		6
7. Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell	2	000 000	00	7
8. Other loans	15	815 512	60	8
9. Bank premises, furniture and fixtures, and other assets representing bank premises		663 785	96	9
10. Real estate owned other than bank premises		None		10
11. Investments in subsidiaries not consolidated		None		11
12. Customer's liability to this bank on acceptances outstanding		None		12
13. Other assets		359 584	78	13
14. TOTAL ASSETS	36	014 709	07	14
LIABILITIES				
15. Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	12	928 381	09	15
16. Time and savings deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	15	842 653	20	16
17. Deposits of United States Government		349 776	87	17
18. Deposits of States and political subdivisions	1	703 089	27	18
19. Deposits of foreign governments and official institutions		None		19
20. Deposits of commercial banks		699 143	36	20
21. Certified and officers' checks, etc.		916 245	32	21
22. TOTAL DEPOSITS $ 32,439,289.11	xxx	xxx xxx	xx	22
(a) Total demand deposits $ 15,485,954.90	xxx	xxx xxx	xx	(a)
(b) Total time and savings deposits $ 16,953,334.21	xxx	xxx xxx	xx	(b)
23. Federal funds purchased and securities sold under agreements to repurchase		None		23
24. Other liabilities for borrowed money		None		24
25. Mortgage indebtedness		None		25
26. Acceptances executed by or for account of this bank and outstanding		None		26
27. Other liabilities		927 953	69	27
28. TOTAL LIABILITIES	33	367 242	80	28
29. MINORITY INTEREST IN CONSOLIDATED SUBSIDIARIES		None		29
RESERVES ON LOANS AND SECURITIES				
30. Reserve for bad debt losses on loans (set up pursuant to Internal Revenue Service rulings)		257 213	43	30
31. Other reserves on loans		None		31
32. Reserves on securities		None		32
33. TOTAL RESERVES ON LOANS AND SECURITIES		257 213	43	33
CAPITAL ACCOUNTS				
34. Capital notes and debentures		None		34
(specify interest rate and maturity of each issue outstanding)				
35. Equity capital, total	2	390 252	84	35
36. Preferred stock-total par value		None		36
(No. shares outstanding)				
37. Common stock-total par value	1	000 000	00	37
(No. shares authorized 40,000) (No. shares outstanding 40,000)				
38. Surplus		600 000	00	38
39. Undivided profits		490 252	34	39
40. Reserve for contingencies and other capital reserves		300 000	00	40
41. TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	2	390 252	84	41
42. TOTAL LIABILITIES, RESERVES, AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	36	014 709	07	42
MEMORANDA				
1. Average of total deposits for the 15 calendar days ending with call date	29	391 149	05	1
2. Average of total loans for the 15 calendar days ending with call date	15	645 025	22	2
3. Unearned discount on instalment loans included in total capital accounts		None		3

I, Doyle W. Horne, Vice President, of the above-named bank, do solemnly {SWEAR / AFFIRM} that this report of condition is true and correct, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Correct—Attest:

Directors.

(MAKE MARK FOR NOTARY'S SEAL)

State of Missouri, County of Scott, ss:

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 9th day of January, 19 73, and I hereby certify that I am not an officer or director of this bank.

My commission expires May 24, 19 74, Notary Public.

DR. LAWRENCE E. LAMB

There's No Known Cure

Victim of 'Geographic Tongue'

Dear Dr. Lamb—I am 38 years old, and in excellent health. My problem is my tongue, which looks like it has been scalded in hot coffee. The sores move to different locations, and the tongue cracks. This condition has lasted two years. When it gets so bad I feel I can hardly stand it, by morning it can nearly heal.

After getting a dental checkup a year ago, the dentist suggested I see a doctor fast. I did, more than one, and they didn't know what it was. Nevertheless, they sent me a bill.

At last I was referred to an ear, nose and throat doctor and he stated it was geographic tongue. He says there is no cure, but it is hereditary and he gave me a mouthwash with some healing ingredient which didn't taste nice and did no good.

I do not have any problems and am not under any stress. All my tests are fine. I even tried vitamins. If you can tell me anything or recommend anything I would certainly appreciate it very much. This is not a life and death matter, but it is an irritating problem.

Dear Reader—You have given a good description of the geographic tongue, particularly in saying that it can disappear almost overnight. Some of the taste buds on the tongue enlarge and others decrease in size, causing a hill and valley effect which gives rise to the term, geographic tongue.

The reason your doctors haven't done anything more for you is because the condition isn't well understood in terms of defining any specific cause, and the treatment is even poorer. It is indeed fortunate that this problem isn't a serious medical disorder, considering how little we really know about it. Mouthwashes are sometimes tried in the hopes of eradicating any non-specific infectious agent, and usually they don't accomplish very much. Vitamins are sometimes tried because similar disorders related to vitamin deficiencies are sometimes observed. The most likely ones would be the vitamin B complex group, and you might be well advised to take a daily vitamin B complex tablet or capsule, but don't expect too much.

In addition to that you would be well advised to avoid the use of coffee, alcohol, tobacco, spices and hot irritating drinks.

It seems to me that perhaps the most important thing that needs to be done has already been accomplished in your case, namely, making certain that you realize what you have is not "a life and death matter" and is not a serious health problem.

The tongue is often a good indicator of health. When the doctor asks a patient to "stick out your tongue" he can learn a great deal. The cigarette smoker and coffee drinker usually have a stained tongue. The vitamin popper may have a red stain from the food-coloring dye in some vitamin capsules. A number of vitamin deficiencies can alter the appearance of the tongue. Pernicious anemia causes the tongue to be pale and smooth with characteristic changes. A furred tongue may be seen in digestive upsets or in mouth breathers (then the problem is finding out why the person breathes through the mouth). Ulcers of the tongue caused by various diseases are important.

(NEWSPAPER ENTERPRISE ASSN.)

Send your questions to Dr. Lamb, in care of this newspaper, P.O. Box 1551, Radio City Station, New York, N.Y. 10019. For a copy of Dr. Lamb's booklet on cholesterol, send 50 cents to the same address and ask for "Cholesterol" booklet.

BARBS

By PHIL PASTORET

One nice thing about the presidential budget upcoming: It'll make our underestimates look like small potatoes.

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How come there are so few civil servants when there are so many government-type employes?

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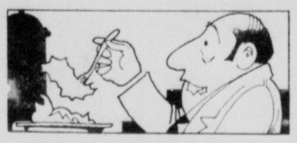

The local beanery is serving what may be the first plastic salad.

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Freedom of the press is what the drip-dry fabrics have.

Q—What American discovered the planet Pluto?

A—Clyde W. Tombaugh, in 1930.

Q—How often does the cork tree yield cork?

A—Its bark can be stripped about once every decade. Cork trees live as long as 400 years.

Q—Has any U.S. president been an only child?

A—No.

Q—What is ornithophobia?

A—Fear of birds in general.

Q—What present state of the Union was sold for $6,000?

A—What is now Maine was purchased by what is now Massachusetts in 1677 from the estate of Ferdinando Gorges, who received the land as a gift in 1622.

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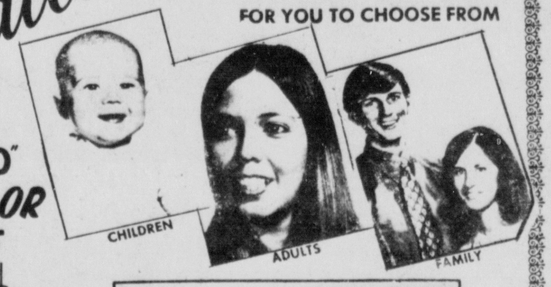

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Strategy conference

Glenn Greene (left) and Earl McConnell (Center front) discuss strategy while other firemen look on.

Daily Standard photos by Bill Hampton and Tim Ludwig

Smoke column

High spray

Fireman at work

Assistant Fire Chief Jim Terrell directs water onto the burning building.

Something saved

Fireman Vernon Morris prepares to operate the winch on the back of a wrecker and pull a camper away from the burning building.

Still smoldering after 24 hours

The try that failed

READ & USE the WANT ADS for BEST RESULTS

5. Personals

ATTENTION
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10. Furnished Houses

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11. Misc. For Rent

For Rent, Mobile Home. Call 471-3450

For Rent — Like new 2 bedroom mobile home. $125 Mo. including utilities. Adults only. 471-0299

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The Daily Standard, Sikeston, Mo.
Thursday, January 11, 1973

1—Empire Gas heater, 70,000 BTU
1—Firestone Lawn mower.
Call Crown Finance
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Will do house work. 111 Taylor St. North rear apartment.

15. Wanted To Rent

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Office space, approximately 1000 square feet - in Sikeston or Miner - Can be office building or suitable residential building with parking facilities for 7 to 10 cars. Reply to P. O. Box 486, Sikeston, giving name, street address or location.

18. Help Wanted

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Wanted — Experienced Aluminum siding applicators for Local Co. Call 471-1649 G & F Builders

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$60.00 per week
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Experienced tire service man to work primarily in changing tires age 20-35. Group Insurance Plan. Call 471-0863 after 6:30 p.m.

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Large national corporation has 2 openings, $8,000 to $12,000 starting salary. Those with coaching, teaching, or sales background perferred. Send resume to
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20. Lost & Found

Found: Small white male poodle. Found at Kingsway Plaza Mall - black and silver collar. 887-6321

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711 Sikes - 4 nice bedrooms, 3 full baths, large living room with nice fireplace - dining room, modern kitchen, - large closets - full large basement - excellent location - Priced to sell

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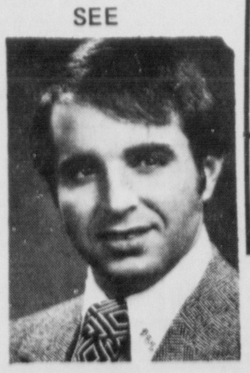
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Training school head suspended

BOONVILLE, Mo. (AP) — Walter Scott DeClue, superintendent of the Missouri Training School for Boys the past 13 years, was suspended Wednesday by the state Board of Training Schools.

Jack Bell, acting superintendent since Jan. 2, was named interim superintendent. He came to the Boonville school from his job as supervisor of the Poplar Bluff Youth Center.

DeClue was not present at the meeting although board chairman James Conway advised him Jan. 5 that his presence was imperative.

"He told me he was very tired and very ill," Conway said, "and his condition did not permit him to appear but he would come if he could."

Charges by the board that led to DeClue's suspension were read at the open meeting. They included:

Lack of commitment to the Positive Peer Culture (PPC) program being instituted at the school, including a report on the program filed last month by DeClue that contained statistics alleged to be inaccurate;

Misleading press reports;

Failure to work with cottage committees;

Failure to implement legislative recommendations;

Little or no use of the Citizens Committee;

In 2 education programs

State to be by-passed

WASHINGTON (AP) — Two state-administered federal education programs in Missouri will be taken over by the federal government and others in the state may be examined if public and non-public school students are being treated equitably, according to an administration spokesman.

Contracts are being negotiated to invoke the first Title III by-pass in Jennings and Jefferson City, Mo., Sidney P. Marland, assistant education secretary in the Health, Education and Welfare Department, said Wednesday.

"It is possible that some 20 additional Title III projects throughout Missouri will be examined to determine whether or not equitable services are being provided to both public and nonpublic children," Marland said.

"By law and tradition and disposition, Missouri is far and away the most stringent state in the country in prohibiting public assistance for non-public schools," he said.

Title III of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act provided some $146.4 million last year for supplementary centers and services, guidance counseling and testing. Missouri's share was $3.1 million. The national program serves about 5.3 million non-public school students.

The "by-pass" provision in the law authorizes the federal education commissioner to provide services directly to nonpublic school children who are being denied equitable participation.

Marland made his announcement to about 100 big city school administrators gathered here to discuss the problem.

Others states "have in general found ways to provide equitable services to non-public schools," he said, but Missouri has ruled out shared-time and the loan of public teachers to provide limited remedial services in non-public schools, even with full federal reimbursement.

The state provides services to public pupils during the day in their classrooms, but to nonpublic children only after school and on weekends, outside classrooms, he said.

The government has bypassed Oklahoma and Nebraska in the administration of Title II funds for books and other learning materials.

Marland said the government is supporting a group of parents of non-public students in their lawsuit against Missouri. The parents are seeking more than after-hours services and equipment under the Title I compensatory education program, Marland said.

"We believe that it is not only equal dollars that count—quantity—but also the effectiveness of the programs themselves—quality," he said.

President can withold spending, appeals panel told

ST. LOUIS (AP) — A federal government attorney told a three- judge appeals court panel today that the president is not obligated by law to spend money appropriated by Congress and that if such spending is to be mandatory Congress must pass a law to that effect.

The arguments came before the 8th U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals as the U.S. Transportation Department appealed a decision of a lower court in Kansas City which said the Missouri State Highway Commission was entitled to $89 million appropriated by Congress for highway construction.

The appeal, brought by Transportation Secretary John Volpe, contended the Federal Highway Act does not make it mandatory that the president spend all the money appropriated by Congress.

President Nixon has said he intends to hold federal spending at $250 billion, and aides say this may require impounding as much as $10 billion in funds already approved by Congress.

A group of 18 Democratic senators who are also committee chairmen filed a friend- of- the- court brief in the case stating the position that "the powers of the executive branch have become dominant in the operation of the governmental structure."

Alen B. Morrison, an attorney for the Public Citizens, Inc., a Ralph Nader group, argued against the impounding action by the executive branch before the appeals court.

He said, "Congress does not have to put 'Thou shalt spend' language into its laws."

The attorney for the government, William Appler, said Congress has tried in the past but failed to make the spending of appropriated funds mandatory.

He said the president's power to withhold spending of funds is based on a 1967 opinion by then Atty. Gen. Ramsey Clark and was for the good of the nation in that it was used to combat inflation.

LOOKING BACK

Frisco agent takes duties in Chaffee

50 years ago
January 11, 1923

The local troop of Girl Scouts took a hike to Fairview School, Saturday. They were accompanied by Misses Effie Sellards, Mable Barnett and Mrs. A.E. Patton.

Morehouse-- Miss Hazel Carr spent the weekend at Essex.

Blodgett-- Steve Peal spent the weekend with his parents here.

Kelso-- Louis A. Burger of near this place, had business in Oran Tuesday.

40 years ago
January 11, 1933

Blodgett-- R.H. Mackley had business in Cape Girardeau Monday.

Canalou-- Misses Pearl and Eula Shrum, who had been visiting relatives and friends in Senath during the past week, returned home Sunday. They were accompanied home by Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Perish and Miss Pauline Ridge and Eddie McGee.

Morehouse-- Mrs. I.H. Dunaway visited with friends in Sikeston Wednesday.

New Madrid-- The Farm Bureau Agent and his wife spent the New Year holidays in Kevil, Ky., visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H.L. Nance.

30 years ago
January 11, 1943

Sikeston General Hospital.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. H.C. Bennett of Bertrand Tuesday.

A daughter was born Thursday to Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hipes.

Mrs. Elizabeth Garber, a former member of the State Board of Health, who resigned in 1940, has been reinstated and now is serving Butler, Stoddard and Mississippi counties as public health nurse with headquarters in Sikeston. Her home is in Cape Girardeau. She replaces Miss Lillian McDonald, who has accepted a nursing position on an Indian reservation at Holdenville, Okla.

O.N. Watts, Sikeston station agent for the Frisco railway since 1935, last Monday assumed new duties as a dispatcher for the line at Chaffee. He had since September 29 been employed in a temporary capacity as dispatcher there. Mr. and Mrs. Watts, who have lived in Sikeston at 225 Ruth street, plan to move to Chaffee, a former place of residence, in March there. J.A. Shain, the regular operator at the station is serving as acting station agent until a permanent appointment is made.

Mrs. Dora Rudy, 76- year-old mother of Mrs. R.D. Clayton, died in Southeast Missouri Hospital, Cape Girardeau, where she had been a patient for a month.

20 years ago
January 11, 1953

Mrs. H.M. Hutchings is leaving today to join her husband in Paris, France for a 10- month stay. Mr. Hutchins is stationed in Paris with the Medical Corps of the 28th General Hospital, which is a large American Hospital now being erected.

Marva Lee Waldron, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Waldron, celebrated her 14th birthday with a party at her home Wednesday.

James G. Lock, 70, died this morning at his home, 325 Smith street.

Funeral services for Letcher Thomas Burgess, 60, of Hammond, Ind., will be held Wednesday. He died Saturday at his home in Hammond.

Mrs. Mary L. Lathom announces the engagement of her daughter, Miss Margaret Ann, to Walter E. Bizzell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bizzell.

Mr. and Mrs. W.D. Boon of Portageville are parents of a baby girl born yesterday at the Delta Community Hospital.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Henry O. Smith of Sikeston yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Baldwin and son, Hutchie, left recently to make their home in Houston, Tex., where he is associated in the plumbing business with his brother.

Sgt. Sam F. Cook, whose wife, Barbara, and father live on Route 2, Portageville, is serving in Korea with the Seventh Infantry Division.

Funeral services were held today for George Johnson, 70, of near Essex. Among the survivors is a daughter, Mrs. Pearl Freeman of Sikeston.

East Prairie-- George Washington Stokes, 71, died this morning at the home of a daughter Mrs. Ovella Scott, of near East Prairie.

What's the law?

The case of the tickled inmate

By Jack Strauss, LL.B.

Norton ran afoul of the law and was sentenced to a jail term of not less than six months nor more than five years. And while he found the sentence a bit disconcerting, the real rub came when he developed a very uncomfortable rash.

Examining his circumstances, Norton quickly concluded that his itch was due to his niche; that the rash was caused by a psychological aversion to his being in jail. To support this conclusion, Norton pointed to the fact that the prison doctors had been unable to cure his condition for a continuous period of 16 very itchy months. Consequently, he filed an application for his immediate parole.

"Since the doctors haven't been able to relieve my skin condition," he argues, "and since I've already served by minimum sentence, I should be released.

"Nothing doing," was the warden's answer. "Parole is based upon a prisoner's conduct and not his physical condition. Because a prisoner may itch is no reason to let him start from scratch any earlier."

Intent upon gaining his release, Norton took the matter to court.

IF YOU WERE THE JUDGE, would you order the tickled prisoner paroled?

This is how the judge ruled: NO! The judge held that a prisoner is not entitled to be paroled just because he has served his minimum sentence, nor is he entitled to be released because of a physical ailment for which he is receiving treatment. "If sickness of a prisoner could compel his discharge," concluded the judge, "which it does not, we could anticipate a veritable rash of petitions."

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from the Upper Room

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PRAYER: Help me to see, Father, that You want to do a new thing in my life. Bring to me, through the Holy Spirit, springtime freshness of new life, new hope, new forgiveness, new faith. Forgive the wasted hours and bless what I have sought to do well for You. Make this day the time of new beginnings. Through Christ. Amen.

Cousteau explores undersea desert

NEW YORK (AP) — The Battle of the Coral Sea took place in May 1942. It was an historic naval clash that began the end of Japanese military expansion in the Pacific during World War II.

Jacques Cousteau recently has been exploring the area and looking at a modern-day battlefield — located on the ocean floor and littered with the slowly killing refuse of strip-mining.

He's filmed it for the 22nd of his famed underseas specials for the ABC Television network. The show is called "500 Million Years Beneath the Sea" and will be broadcast tonight at 8 p.m. EST.

As usual, the photography is excellent; however, the over-all thrust of the show seems spread too thin and isn't quite up to Cousteau's earlier efforts.

No matter. Sub par for the 62-year-old undersea explorer and ecologist would be considered first-rate for anyone else.

On this outing, Cousteau and his crew go to the waters just off French-held New Caledonia, a tropical island rich in mineral deposits, particularly nickel.

Sections of the island have been strip-mined for years, with the refuse of both mining and refining dumped into one area of a lagoon near the island capital of Noumea.

What effect has this had on the undersea life? Cousteau provides no encompassing answer, but he takes the viewer underwater for a look. And the sight isn't a pretty one at all.

There only are a few creatures visibile in what Cousteau calls the "undersea desert" created by man's carelessness. What life exists gradually has burrowed beneath the sediment to survive.

At night, there are a few signs that something has survived — among them brown and white creatures Cousteau calls sea mice.

And, as he puts it, they "move across the mud flats like a battalion of tanks, ravaging everything in their path — the dead, the dying and the contaminated."

He travels on, to a coral reef, where he finds "the corpses of sponges, plants, corals. Fettered to the ocean floor, unable to flee, they lie suffocated and buried."

The program isn't all doom and disaster. The farther he goes from New Caledonia, the more evidence he finds that underseas life will go on if man only gives it a chance.

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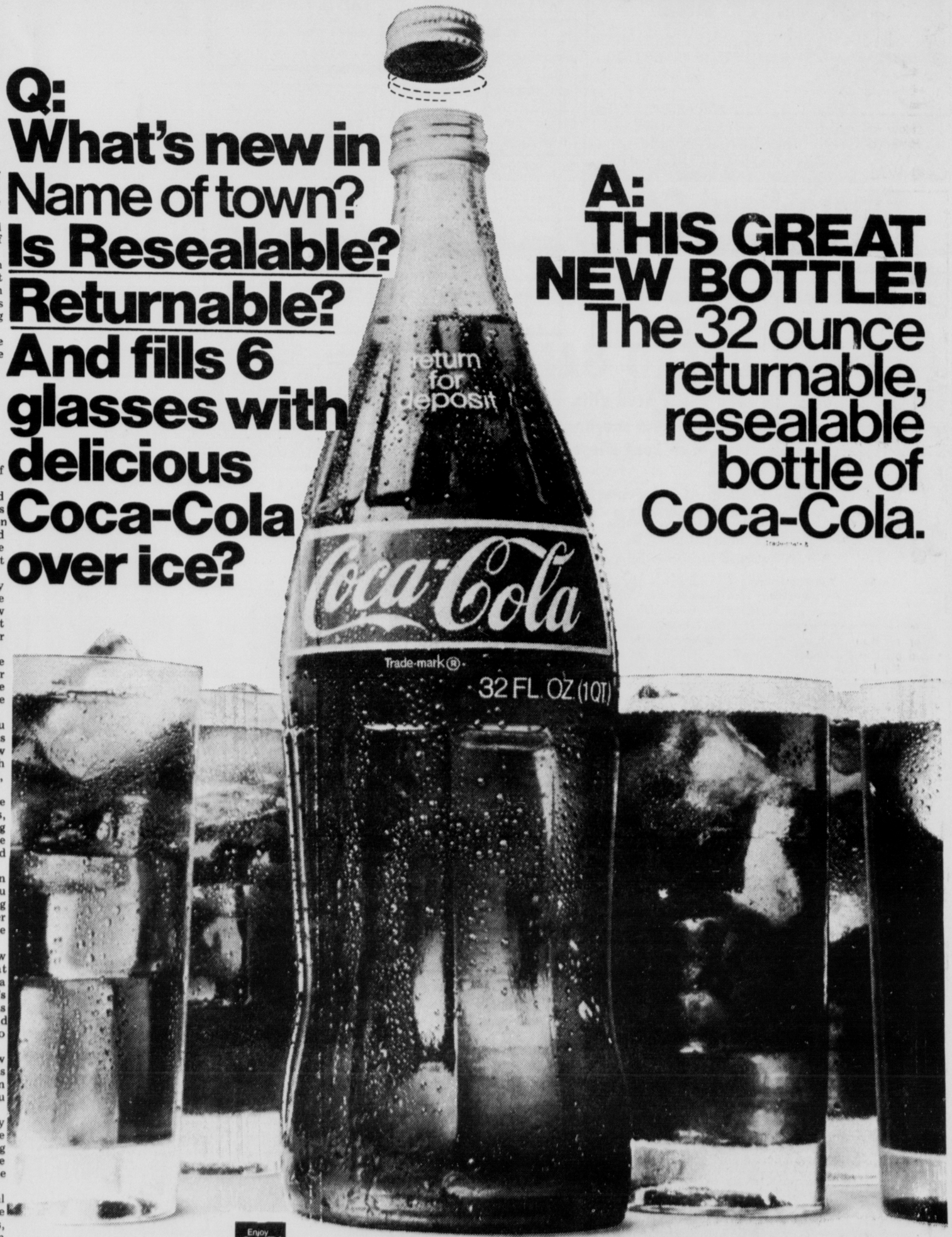

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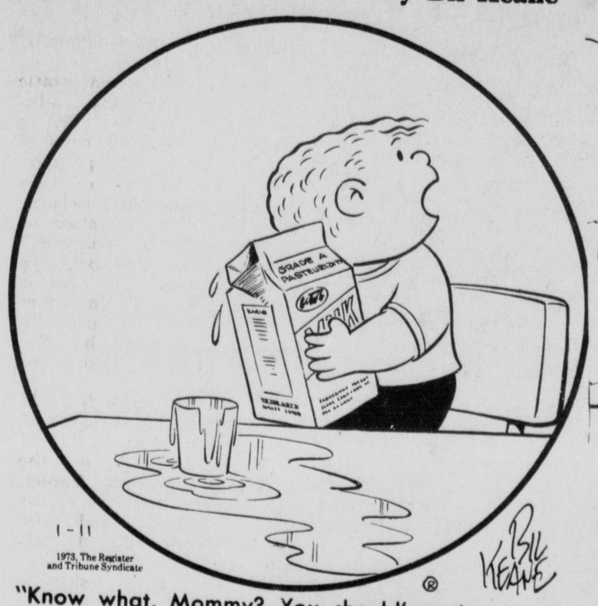
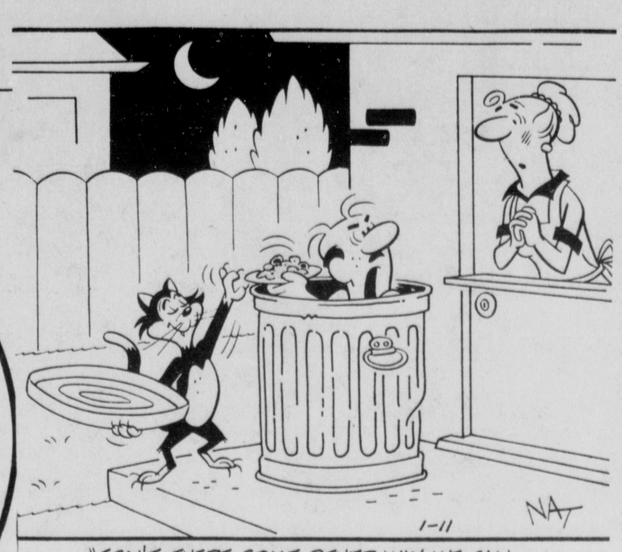


"Know what, Mommy? You should've given me a bigger glass."

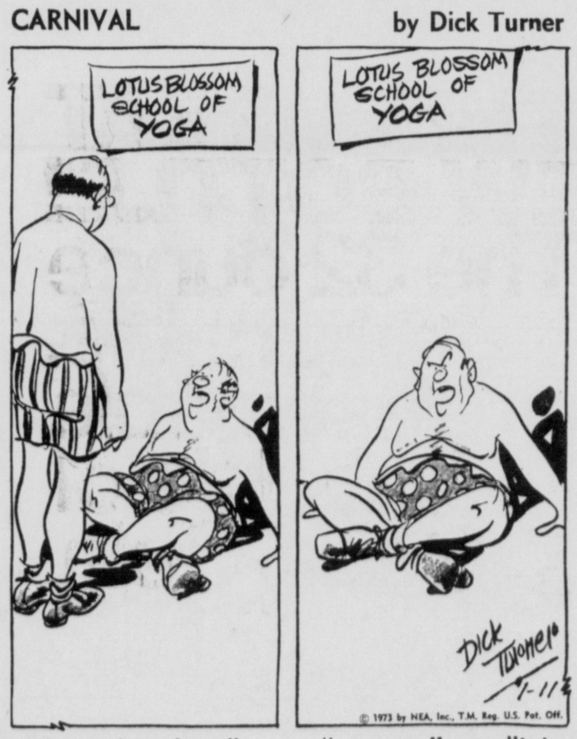


"ISN'T THERE SOME OTHER WAY WE CAN COAX HER TO EAT YOUR STEW?"

SIDE GLANCES by Gill Fox

"How do you explain to a four-year-old that Howard K. Smith isn't just a talking head?"

CARNIVAL by Dick Turner



"For an hour I meditated on the Universal Soul . . ."

". . . now I'm meditating on how to uncross my legs!"

OUT OUR WAY by Neg Cochran

OUR BOARDING HOUSE with Major Hoople

Here and There

ACROSS

1 One of the Cinque Ports
4 South American nation
8 Capital of Switzerland
12 Devour
13 Asian sea
14 Nautical term
15 Pub drink
16 Repetitive drum beats
18 Be insistent
20 Cotton fabrics
21 Yugoslav city
22 Prevaricated
24 European region
26 Foster, as a plant
27 Chum
30 Affirm
32 Fountain nymph (myth.)
34 City in Massachusetts
35 Be contrite
36 Lever of a sort
37 Greatest quantity
39 Detest
40 Engage for service
41 Masculine nickname
42 Franco's bailiwick
45 Railroad foundation
49 Seasoning
51 New Guinea seaport
52 Poker stake
53 Peruvian Indian
54 Sea eagle (var.)
55 Hardy heroine
56 Forest creature
57 Crafty

DOWN

1 Harvest
2 University in New Haven
3 Everlastingly
4 French capital
5 Epochs
6 Disconcert
7 The gums (anat.)
8 Bundled, as hay
9 Ardor
10 Nevada city
11 Loch in Scotland
17 Solemn promise
19 Procreated
23 Inactive
24 Coarse hominy
25 Winged
26 Singing voice
27 Prefaces
28 Slangy contraction
29 Tardy
31 Zodiacal sign
33 Jewish priestly garment
38 Placid
40 Conceals
41 Turkic tribesman
42 Begone!
43 Corn bread
44 Pismires
46 One time
47 Nobleman
48 Gainsay
50 In the middle (comb. form)

Answer to Previous Puzzle

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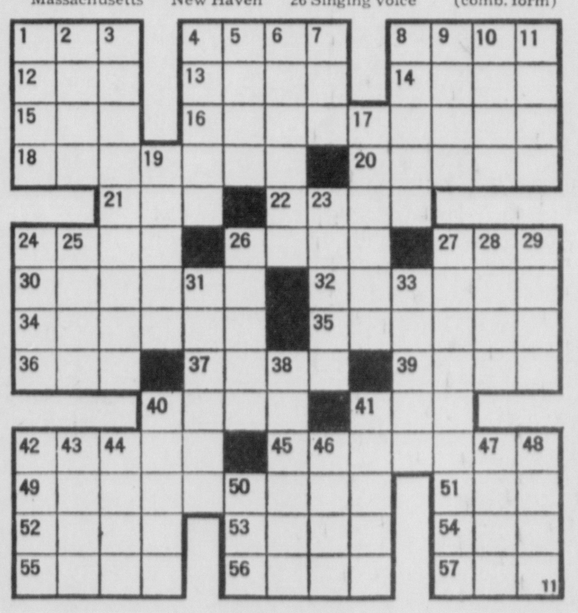

STAR GAZER By CLAY R. POLLAN

Your Daily Activity Guide According to the Stars.

To develop message for Friday, read words corresponding to numbers of your Zodiac birth sign.

1 Unique	31 Own	61 With
2 Your	32 Your	62 And
3 Avoid	33 Could	63 Is
4 Especially	34 Be	64 A
5 Maintian	35 Be	65 New
6 Be	36 Eating	66 Love
7 See	37 For	67 Social
8 Utilize	38 Another	68 Individuals
9 Follow	39 Try	69 That's
10 Take	40 A	70 Exercise
11 Your	41 Blocked	71 Disapproved
12 Changes	42 Ideas	72 But
13 Plans	43 Good	73 Noticed
14 Excess	44 Be	74 Could
15 Good	45 Expected	75 Smite
16 Balance	46 Met	76 You
17 Willing	47 Drinking	77 Suddenly
18 That	48 Leo	78 New
19 Diplomacy	49 Shirks	79 Be
20 Your	50 Something	80 Life
21 On	51 Bit	81 For
22 Attitude	52 By	82 Unfair
23 Can	53 Resist	83 Don't
24 May	54 Luck	84 Don't
25 In	55 Misinterpreted	85 Break
26 Day	56 Lovers	86 Favored
27 Bend	57 Stubborn	87 Responsive
28 To	58 Demands	88 Changes
29 Duties	59 Physical	89 Complain
30 If	60 And	90 Opposition

ARIES MAR. 21 – APR. 19 — 64-65-66-74 / 75-76-77
TAURUS APR. 20 – MAY 20 — 11-22-33-44 / 55-60-71
GEMINI MAY 21 – JUNE 20 — 7-18-32-43 / 54-63-73
CANCER JUNE 21 – JULY 22 — 3-14-25-36 / 47-59-70
LEO JULY 23 – AUG. 22 — 4-15-26-37 / 48-56-79-87
VIRGO AUG. 23 – SEPT. 22 — 10-21-29-38 / 49-62-83-89
LIBRA SEPT. 23 – OCT. 22 — 5-16-27-40 / 51-72-84-85
SCORPIO OCT. 23 – NOV. 21 — 9-20-31-42 / 53-58-81-88
SAGITTARIUS NOV. 22 – DEC. 21 — 8-19-30-41 / 52-57-68
CAPRICORN DEC. 22 – JAN. 19 — 1-12-23-34 / 45-67-80-86
AQUARIUS JAN. 20 – FEB. 18 — 2-13-24-35 / 46-61-82-90
PISCES FEB. 19 – MAR. 20 — 6-17-28-39 / 50-69-78

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Today In History

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Today is Thursday, Jan. 11, the 11th day of 1973. There are 354 days left in the year.

Today's highlight in history:

On this date in 1943, during World War II, the United States and Britain relinquished extra- territorial rights in China;

On this date:

In 1569, the first lottery in England was drawn in St. Paul's Cathedral under the patronage of Queen Elizabeth I.

In 1757, the first secretary of the U.S. Treasury, Alexander Hamilton, was born on Nevis Island in the West Indies.

In 1788, a band of colonists set out for Ohio from Hartford, Conn.

In 1861, Alabama seceded from the Union.

In 1945, a truce was declared in the Greek civil war.

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Deaths

GEORGE F. SCHANTZ

DEXTER— George F. Schantz, 79, died Wednesday in Dexter Memorial Hospital.

He was born Oct. 19, 1893 in St. Louis and was a member of First Christian Church.

Surviving are his widow, Ruth Schantz of the home; one son, LeRoy Schantz of Springfield; two stepsons, Ellis Eldred of Kansas City and David Eldred of Columbus, Miss.; one daughter, Mrs. Gladys Carroll of Columbia; two sisters, Mrs. Louise Gerdt of St. Louis and Mrs. Anna Gibbs of Pontiac, Mich;, and nine grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren.

Services are scheduled at 2 p.m. Friday in Rainey Funeral Home with the Revs. Stanley Land and Kenneth Gaines officiating.

Burial will be in Dexter Cemetery.

EDWARD HUFFMAN

FLINT, Mich. — Edward F. Huffman, 56, a former resident of Sikeston, Mo., died Wednesday in St. Joseph Hospital.

He was born March 4, 1916 in Oregon County, Mo., and was an Army veteran of World War II. He served in the Army for 20 years.

Surviving are his widow, Lillie Huffman; one son, Donnie Ray Huffman of Flint; one daughter, Rose Marie Huffman of the home; four sisters, Mrs. Daisey Silliman of Eldon, Mo., Mrs. Mary Baker and Mrs. Esther Taylor of Sikeston and Mrs. Tinnie Madden of Thayer, Mo.; and three brothers, James (Pete) Huffman of Taylor, Mo., Willie M. Huffman of Poplar Bluff and Paul Huffman of Rohnert Park, Calif.

The body is being moved to Nunnelee Funeral Home in Sikeston where arrangements are incomplete.

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today that the fire either broke out in the laundry room or in the wiring above a stove in the front basement apartment; firemen had previously extinguished a blaze caused by the stove wiring.

Residents of the burned apartment building included Mrs. Sula Clark and her son Glen; Windeff Lume; Linda Dalton; James Morrison; Ella Gordan; Judy Turner; Edward Stinnett, his wife Brenda and their son J.R.; Carol Hardin and her two children; Stan Kennedy; Jeane Heaton; and an unidentifed woman and her two children.

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The Schmiegs have two sons, Chris, 4, and Mark, one.

The Sikeston division group includes Sikeston, Charleston, East Prairie, Wyatt, New Madrid, Lilbourn, Marston and Portageville and Morehouse.

The Schmiegs plan to buy a home in Sikeston.

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operator's license, $10 and costs; Timothy Ivan Sigourney of Sikeston, speeding, $26; and David H. Linebaugh of Charleston, improper left turn, $15, and out of state operator's license, $5 plus $16 court costs.

Bryant Rodgers II of Charleston withdrew his plea of innocent and pleaded guilty to a charge of interfering with public property. He was given a 10-day suspended sentence and placed on six months probation. Rodgers was ordered to pay $18.25 costs.

Ricky Skelton of East Prairie pleaded not guilty to common assault and trial was set for Jan. 25.

A charge of non-support against Robert Morrison of St. Louis was dismissed. Also dismissed at $8.50 costs were charges of adultery and gross lewdness against Clarence Emery and Virginia Mansfield.

Cases continued to Jan. 18 were William A. Mannon of Matthews, driving while operator's license was revoked; John Wayne Davis of East Prairie, speeding; Timothy Doyle Childers of Wolf Island, defective brakes and Jerry W. Warren of East Prairie, speeding.

Math club to offer $150 scholarship

Sikeston High School Mathematics Club met Wednesday afternoon and conducted regular business.

Math Club president Mark Shaw announced that the club will sponsor an SHS chess tournament which will start Feb. 1. The entry deadline is Jan. 26 and fee is 50 cents for each participant. The entry fee will go toward purchase of trophies for tournament winners.

The club discussed and approved establishment of a Math Club scholarship. The $150 scholarship will go to some needy college- bound senior.

The club also approved a fund to financially assist students attending a summer computer workshop.

Plans were launched for the club to take a field trip to St. Louis this spring to a large computer center and other points of interest.

Sponsors for the organization are Asa Kinnaman, Gary Williams and Terry Coleman.

Q—What are the recording industry's annual awards called?

A—Grammies.

Q—For whom is Saint Dismas the patron saint?

A—Condemned criminals. St. Dismas was the penitent thief.

Cleaves gets 2 year term

CHARLESTON — A two-year prison term given Clyde Edward Cleaves of Charleston on a stealing charge in December was stayed Wednesday by Circuit Court Judge Marshall Craig.

Cleaves was placed on two years probation on condition he obey the law, pay court costs, make restitution of $10 and abide by the rules and regulations of his probation officer. Cleaves entered a voluntary plea of guilty to stealing four batteries on Sept. 20 from Simmons Equipment Co. in Charleston.

Thomas Patrick and Ronnie Eugene Graham were each fined $50 and costs after pleading guilty to charges of possessing intoxicating beer.

In a change of venue case from New Madrid County three charges of burglary and stealing against Bobby Miller were dismissed ad costs certified to the state.

A suit to set aside a deed and damages brought by Marshall Reeves and Iris J. Reeves against Agnew Associates, Inc. and J. D. Meller was dismissed without prejudice against Meller. Costs were charged to the plaintiff.

Billie Davis Munson was granted a divorce and custody of one child from James Frank Munson. Munson was granted visitation rights and ordered to pay $25 a week child support and $300 attorney fees.

Linda Lou Woodward received a divorce and custody of one child from Claude Woodward.

A divorce and custody of one child was awarded Mary Janet Jones from Tommy Wayne Jones. Mrs. Jones is to receive $15 a week child support from Jones, who was granted visitation rights.

House fire kills mother and child

FREDERICKTOWN, Mo. (AP) — A woman and one of her children were killed early Wednesday in a fire that destroyed the family's small frame home 12 miles east of this southeast Missouri community, the highway patrol said.

The patrol identified the victims as Mary Ruth Henson, 31, and her son, Jimmy, 4.

The patrol said the blaze was believed to have been caused by an explosion in a stove as Mrs. Henson's husband, Marion, 50, attempted to build a fire .. Henson and a second child, Tony, 9, were taken to a St. Louis hospital with injuries. A third child, Dale, 12, was reported unhurt.

Jones named Scott county deputy sheriff

BENTON — Vernon L. (Bud) Jones, 36, of Charleston has been appointed a Scott County deputy by Sheriff, John Dennis, effective next Monday.

Jones will replace Tommy Dover, who resigned this week to join the Sikeston Police Department. Jones has served with the Missouri State Water Patrol for the last four years and has had extensive police training, Dennis said.

Jones will move to Sikeston.

Q—What phrase from a foreign language denotes a function held in the open air?

A—Al fresco, from the Italian.

Cape man fire death

CAPE GIRARDEAU — Floyd L. Hefner, 60, died Wednesday in a fire that started in an upstairs apartment at 631 Broadway.

Hefner was found dead inside a back door of the apartment when firemen arrived at about 4:40 a.m. He was apparently trying to escape.

Cape Girardeau County Coroner George F. Rouse ruled death was caused by suffocation. He said no inquest will be held.

The building housed the Missouri Division of Veteran's Affairs office and Ed's Barber Shop, a one-chair operation owned by Edgar H. Seabaugh.

Both businesses, located on the ground floor, received heavy smoke and water damage.

Though firemen are not sure of the cause, they speculated a fire in a five-gallon lard can that Hefner had lit to keep warm may have been to blame.

10 treated

Ten accident patients were treated Wednesday in the emergency room of Missouri Delta Community Hospital.

Melvin Taber, 27, Sikeston, cut left hand at work; William Mace, 17, New Madrid, bruised left elbow in fall on ice; Angela Bixler, 3, New Madrid, caught right thumb in car door, fracturing thumb; Gary Brown, 17, East Prairie, dislocated left knee playing basketball; Scott Kellett, 4, Sikeston, cut forehead in fall at home.

Gaither Daugherty, 50, Sikeston, fractured left elbow in fall on ice; Paul St. Onge, 7, Sikeston, stepped on toothpick puncturing left foot; James Deberry, 61, Sikeston, received second degree burns of right arm with hot water; Glen Perry, 41, Charleston, combine seat fell on chest fracturing ribs; and Harold Lewis, 69, Miner, fractured jaw in fall.

Grain Market

CHICAGO (AP) — New crop soybean futures prices fell the limit of 10 cents on the Chicago Board of Trade today. Wheat was 6¼ cents.

On the opening, soybeans were 1¾ to 10 cents a bushel lower, January 4.35; wheat was 1⅞ to 6¼ lower, March 2.71½; corn was 1 to 3 lower; March 1.60 and oats were ⅞ to 2¼ lower, March 95¾ cents.

River Stages

Mississippi River

	Flood	Now	Ch.
Chester	27	15.7	—3.4
Cape Girardeau	32	24.8	—2.0
Cairo	40	42.3	—1.0
New Madrid	34	32.8	—.6
Caruthersville	32	32.2	—.4

Forecast

At Chester the river will fall 2.5 Friday; fall 1.0 Saturday; and fall .4 Sunday.

At Cape Girardeau the river will fall 3.3 Friday; fall 2.1 Saturday; and fall 1.1 Sunday.

At Cairo the river will fall 1.7 Friday; fall 1.9 Saturday; and fall 2.1 Sunday.

At New Madrid the river will fall 1.2 Friday; fall 1.5 Saturday; and fall 1.8 Sunday.

At Caruthersville no forecast was available.

Ohio River

	Flood	Now	Ch.
Golconda	40	32.1	—.6
Paducah	39	34.3	—.8
Grand Chain	42	32.8	—1.0

Forecast

At Golconda the river will fall .8 Friday; fall 1.7 Saturday; and fall 2.0 Sunday.

At Paducah the river will fall 1.6 Friday; fall 1.7 Saturday; and fall 1.6 Sunday.

At Grand Chain no forecast was available.

Livestock Market

NATIONAL STOCKYARDS, Ill. (AP) — Estimated receipts for Friday: 4,000 hogs, 200 cattle and 50 sheep.

Hogs 5,500; butchers 50 lower and sows steady to 50 lower. 125 head No. 1, 215 lb butchers 34.25. U.S. 1-2, 200-230 lbs 33.75-34.00; 1-3, 200-230 lbs 33.50-33.75; 230-260 lbs 32.50-33.50. U.S. 1-3, 300-350 lb sows 26.50-27.50; 350-500 lbs 26.00-26.50; 500-600 lbs 25.75. Boars 25.75-26.00.

Cattle 2,000; not enough slaughter steers or heifers for test. Cows and bulls steady.

Slaughter steers; small lot choice 950 lbs yield grade 2-4, 39.50.

Slaughter heifers: few choice 800-900 lbs yield grade 2-4, 38.50-38.75.

Cows: utility and commercial 25.50-27.50; high dressing utility 28.00; cutter 23.00-25.50; canner 20.50-23.00.

Bulls: utility, commercial and good 31.00-33.50.

Vealers: choice 48.00-50.00; good 44.00-48.00.

Q—What is the ancient historical distinction of Mt. Moriah in Jerusalem?

A—It was the site of Solomon's Temple.

Local Stock

	BID	ASK
1st Nat Bk of Sik	4½	5¼
Anheuser Busch	54½	55¼
Frontier Tower	1½	2
Olson Bros	3¼	3¾
Martha Manning	3	3½
ICH Corp	7½	8
Pabst Brewing	67¼	67¾
Downtowner	3½	4
Wetterau	28½	29½

LISTED STOCKS

Allied Stores	37¼
American Tel & Tel	54¼
American Motors	8
Calvert Exp	4
Chrysler	42¼
Columbia Gas	32¼
Eaton Mfg	39¾
Ford Motors	79½
Interstate Brands	13¼
Malone & Hyde	34¾
Md South Util	26¾
New England Elect	26½
J. C. Penney	96¾
WalMart	32½
Stelber Ind	10¾

EDITORS NOTE: The bid price is the approximate price if one were a seller and the asked price is the approximate price if one were a buyer. Quotations furnished by Hugh T. McCollum, Registered Representative for Rowland and Co. 1405 East Malone Phone 471-5350.

Five Most Active

Dow Jones Industrial Averages at noon were up 1.05 on a volume of 6.80 million shares.

NYSE MOST ACTIVE

AT&T	54 7/8	+3/4
Tex. Gulf	28 3/8	+1/2
Gulf Oil	27 1/8	-1/8
Exxon	98 1/4	UNC
Phillip Petrol.	45 1/8	+5/8

LISTED STOCKS

Amer. Tele.	54 3/4
Anheuser Busch	54 1/4
Butler Natl	3 1/2
Champ Home Bldrs	12 1/2
Connrex	9 7/8
Cooper Tire	20
Evans Prod	23 5/8
Feld Leasing	14 7/8
Ford	79 3/8
GAF Corp.	20
Manchester Life rtMANL	12 1/2
Gen. Mtrs.	82 1/8
Interco	54
Durotest	14 3/4
Keystone Indus.	6 3/8
Malone & Hyde	35
Mid Am Gr Pl	1
Noranda Mines	40 3/4
Texaco	39 3/8
Transamerica	16 7/8
Volume Shoe	23
Wetterau Foods	29 1/4

These quotations were provided at 11 a.m. today by Don Sarno, Account Executive, Merrill Lynch, Pierce, Fenner & Smith, Inc., 220 North 4th Street, St. Louis, Mo. 63102. Call TOLL-FREE 1-800 392-3430.

Weather Elsewhere

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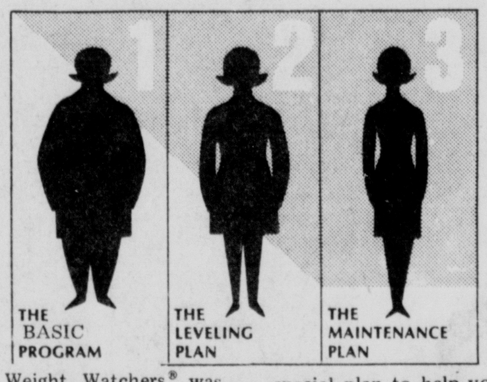
	High	Low		
Albany	27	9		cdy
Albu'que	40	23	.03	clr
Amarillo	19	2	.03	clr
Anchorage	18	6		cdy
Asheville	33	20		sn
Atlanta	30	27		clr
Birmingham	31	26		sn
Bismarck	12	-2		cdy
Boise	32	28		sn
Boston	30	19		cdy
Buffalo	20	16	.27	sn
Charleston	M	M	.17	rn
Charlotte	32	19		sn
Chicago	20	10		clr
Cincinnati	24	11		cdy
Cleveland	19	14		sn
Denver	25	7		clr
Des Moines	13	4		clr
Detroit	22	13		cdy
Duluth	5	-10	.02	cdy
Fort Worth	29	23	.20	cdy
Green Bay	16	1		clr
Helena	-6	-18		cdy
Honolulu	79	64		clr
Houston	34	31	.17	clr
Ind'apolis	22	11		cdy
Jacks'ville	40	37	1.08	rn
Kansas City	14	4		clr
Little Rock	28	21		cdy
Los Angeles	67	48		cdy
Louisville	25	16		clr
Marquette	12	4	.01	sn
Memphis	25	16		cdy
Miami	77	68	.05	rn
Milwaukee	17	6		clr
Mpls-St.P.	14	0		cdy
New Orleans	37	36	.10	rn
New York	31	21		clr
Okla. City	16	14		cdy
Omaha	17	5		clr

2 arrested

Police today announced two arrests.

Gary Ronald Darnall, 249 W. Kathleen, was charged with obstructing traffic, improper registration, no city sticker and no Missouri drivers license. Allen C. Durbin, 505 Clayton, was arrested for not having a city sticker.

The Basic Weight Watchers' program comes to SIKESTON-CHARLESTON—DEXTER— PORTAGEVILLE—MALDEN



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TUESDAY, 10:00 A.M., Jan. 23rd
TUESDAY, 7:30 P.M. Jan. 23rd
THURSDAY, 7:30 P.M., Jan. 25th

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DEXTER COMMUNITY CENTER
208 E. Sayre (In Housing Project)
MONDAY, 7:30 P.M., Jan. 15th
MONDAY, 7:30 P.M., Jan. 22nd

CHARLESTON
KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS
6th and Marshall
TUESDAY, 7:30 P.M., Jan. 16th
TUESDAY, 7:30 P.M., Jan. 23rd

PORTAGEVILLE
BILLY FISHER'S STEAK HOUSE
Highway 61 North (Use side door)
TUESDAY, 7:30 P.M., Jan. 16th
TUESDAY, 7:30 P.M., Jan. 23rd

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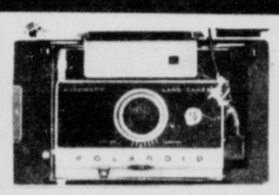

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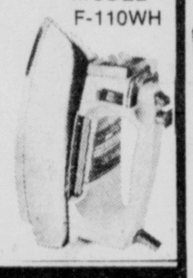

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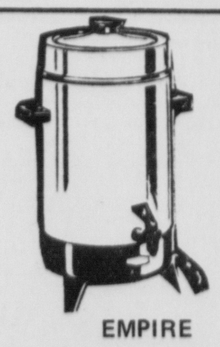

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